

WEATHER—Friday cloudy and warmer. TWENTY PAGES

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PRICE THREE CENTS

SAMUEL GOMPERS, LABOR HEAD, DEAD

MEN ARRAIGNED IN JERSEY RUM RUNNING PROBE

Master Informer Will Be
Produced in further
Investigation

Parishioners Guard Priest
Who Started Giant
Liquor Probe.

Jersey City, N. J., Dec. 11.—The two men indicted in New Jersey's \$50,000,000 rum running investigation were arraigned today before County Judge Egan on charges of malfeasance in office, conspiracy to violate the prohibition law, and in the case of one, bribery.

Each pleaded not guilty.

Wm. E. Griffin, Jersey City, broker, and alleged to be the "boss" bootlegger, was charged with bribery.

Jersey City, N. J., Dec. 11.—A "master informer" was introduced today in the investigation of the \$50,000,000 rum running scandal of northern New Jersey.

Samuel Wilson, superintendent of the New Jersey Anti-Saloon league sent a letter to Colonel George T. Vickers, special prosecutor in the inquiry of the bootlegging syndicate. Wilson explained that "a man who knew everything" had offered his services as informant.

Wilson would give no details of the man's identity, other than to say he was one who knew more about the bootlegging industry than any other man in the country.

The fifteen hundred parishioners of Father George F. Bennett, were rallying around their "fighting priest" today to protect him from possible attack. Father Bennett has gotten letters warning him he "would not be alive to say mass on Christmas Day."

Father Bennett of the St. Lawrence Catholic Church in Weehawken, whose activities were instrumental in the exposure of bootlegging conditions along the Weehawken waterfront, has not even reported the threats to police, according to his parishioners.

The twelve men under indictment in connection with the rum smuggling were to be arraigned today before County Judge Kinkead. Their bail of \$10,000 each will be continued. The men indicted include nine Weehawken township police commissioner and William Griffin of Jersey City, alleged to be the guiding genius of the rum runners.

**BELIEVE WATKINS
FLEES TO CANADA
TO ESCAPE CHARGE**

Youngstown, O., Dec. 11.—Colonel Evan A. Watkins, "man of mystery," one of the inner council of the Ku Klux Klan in this district and head of the Red Robed Riders, has left Youngstown for good his friends today declared.

Watkins fled to Canada, it was asserted.

Linked with the sudden disappearance of Watkins were reports of a possible arrest upon a charge of violation of the Mann White Slave Act. It was claimed that Watkins, when he came to Youngstown brought with him a beautiful young woman whom he introduced as his niece.

Investigation was being made by officials to learn the real relation existing.

Watkins on Sundays preached at the Baptist Church at Girard, five miles west of here, and by his oratory had built up a substantial congregation. His disappearance was first noted when he failed to appear for services there last Sunday.

**BRITISH ACTION TO
HAVE NO EFFECT ON
DEBT SETTLEMENT**

Washington, Dec. 11.—Great Britain's salutary notice to France that any settlement of the French debt to the United States must be accompanied by a similar and simultaneous settlement with Great Britain will have no effect in halting the present negotiations between Paris and Washington, over the adjustment of the French debt to this government it was stated today in official quarters.

Officials who are handling the negotiations declared that the French debt to Great Britain is strictly an Anglo-French affair, just as the French debt to the United States is a French American affair, and this government has no intention of considering the two matters as in any way related.

Anti-Betting Law Invalid.

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Only 10 Days
to Shop

GARDNER IS SENATE LEADER

Engaged Just 24 Hours
Before Wedding



MRS. JOSEPH KERRIGAN

O. E. BRADFUTE AGAIN ELECTED TO HEAD NATIONAL FARM BUREAU FOR THIRD TIME

O. E. Bradfute, Xenia, was re-elected president of the American Farm Bureau for the third consecutive year at the close of the annual convention at Chicago, Ill., Wednesday.

Mr. Bradfute defeated George C. Jewett of the state of Washington, thirty-five votes to eleven. Three ballots were blank. The president is elected by the board of directors, composed of forty-nine members.

Mr. Bradfute was authorized to call a conference for farm leaders "for the purpose of making not more than three nominations for the consideration of President Coolidge" in appointing a secretary of agriculture when Howard M. Gore retires next March. Tribute was paid to the work of Mr. Gore and of the late Henry C. Wallace by the convention.

The federation adopted resolutions recommending that the next secretary of agriculture be a man who not only has intimate knowledge of agriculture but also possesses a broad economic knowledge and a broad business experience with which to meet the problems confronting agriculture.

After an announced engagement of less than twenty-four hours, Mrs. Esther Kerrigan has been married at the home of her mother, Mrs. Horatio Nelson Slater, Fifth avenue, New York City, to Joseph Kerrigan, University of Illinois graduate and former assistant to Ambassador Francis at St. Petersburg.

FIVE FLYERS LOSE LIVES AS SEAPLANE FALLS INTO OCEAN

Government Aviators Die In Crash During Bombing Practice

San Diego, Cal., Dec. 11.—A large naval seaplane fell into the ocean near this city while engaged in bombing exercises. Five men are dead. Four were rescued by another seaplane and taken to a hospital.

The victims are: Lieutenant G. Varini, pilot; A. P. Thurston, observer; Lieutenant K. H. Roby, second pilot; F. D. Trull, aviation machinist's mate, and J. W. Wieczek, radio man. The injured: S. R. Davenport, machinist's mate, slightly burned; R. Pautz, aviation mate, first class; D. J. Massengill, aviation rigger, first class.

The pilot of a land plane flying over Point Loma saw the plane fall. Turning back, he flew low over the seaplane hangar and shouted word of the accident. A seaplane, all ready to take off, followed the land plane and descended to the wreckage. The five injured men were brought ashore. No trace of the others has been found.

FARM CONDITIONS NOT AS ROSEATE AS PAINTED SAYS BORAH

Washington, Dec. 11.—Senator William E. Borah of Idaho announced he could not go along with the optimism and reasoning of the late Secretary Wallace, whose report was made public by his successor, Howard M. Gore, Borah, who, as chairman of the Senate foreign relations committee, gave notice that farm relief legislation must precede consideration by the Senate of the world court proposal, was unmoved by the claims of the department of agriculture. A group in the Senate, he said, will begin the preparation of a farm relief bill unless the fact-finding commission shall have proposed its remedy by that time.

"I would like," said Senator Borah, "to have the department of agriculture ascertain for us how many farmers have deserted their farms within the last year or so. There are deserted farms all through the west, places left by men who could not make a living upon them."

The same situation obtains in Pennsylvania, Massachusetts and other states in the east. It is common to the agricultural sections; farms everywhere have been and are being sold for taxes."

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AUGUST BELMONT, BANKER AND HORSE RACE LOVER, DEAD

New York, Dec. 11.—Major August Belmont, 71, financier and turfman died at his apartment, 550 Park avenue last night, after an illness of little, more than 24 hours.

The cause of his death was given in the medical certificate as "illness complicated with septicemia."

At his bedside at the time of his death were Mrs. Belmont and his son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Margon Belmont.

The other surviving member of the family, Captain Raymond Belmont, was in his home at Middleburgh, Va., at the time of his father's death.

Funeral arrangements were being completed today. Burial will be in the family vault at Newport, it was said.

The affliction which caused death began in a swelling of his arm last Tuesday. It was believed to be caused by a fall from a horse four years ago.

As the inflammation increased, four specialists were called into consultation and an operation was performed yesterday.

PRESIDENT SENDS NAME OF C. S. FRAZER FOR CONFIRMATION

The name of C. S. Frazer, now acting postmaster here, was sent to the U. S. Senate Wednesday by President Coolidge for confirmation of his appointment as postmaster.

Mr. Frazer was put on the eligible list by postal inspectors, endorsed by the local party committee, and recommended by Congressman Charles Brand. His appointment as acting postmaster by the postal department followed, and he assumed his duties in that capacity the first of this month.

He will not become actual postmaster however, until the Senate confirms his appointment as transmitted to that body by the president.

GAS TAX FAVORED BY AUTOMOTIVE MEN

Columbus, Dec. 11.—The Ohio Automotive association, in convention here, recommended that automobile owners be required to help pay for the upkeep of paved roads built by property owners, counties and the state. Although officials of the association believe no direct tax upon the automobile should be made with a view toward helping pay for new road improvement, they do concur in the theory that automobiles should be taxed to pay a share of repair work caused by traffic wear and tear.

Members expressed the opinion that a gasoline tax should be imposed. The association will support the state highway department's program to spend \$24,000,000 for "good roads" in the next two years.

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Says:

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Other resolutions indorsed President Coolidge's principle that "orderly production and orderly marketing are indispensable to successful marketing" and also the president's economic program.

Opposition to the proposed child labor amendment was re-affirmed, as was the federation's attitude toward the Muscle Shoals question. It was urged that farmer board decide questions of the cost of fertilizer to be manufactured at Muscle Shoals.

In dealing with taxes the federation urged that the federal state tax be abolished, that income rather than consumption be more heavily taxed, that the gift tax be retained, that tax-free securities be abolished and that the incomes of banks and their stockholders be taxed.

Other resolutions were in regard to the continuance of support of co-operative marketing organizations and

Senator J. Lowery Miller of Middlebury, one of the leaders of the "dry" element, presented the name of Senator D. G. Collister of Cleveland to oppose Gardner, but no one seconded his motion and Senator Collister announced he was not a candidate.

Those supporting Senator Gardner also offered a slate of candidates for other positions, which went through without material change. Joseph E. Cross of Columbus, formerly of West Union, was re-elected clerk, and Thomas E. Bateman of Columbus, formerly of Piketon, was named his assistant. Frank M. Ackerman of Wiloughby was selected for sergeant-at-arms on the second ballot. There were 12 candidates for this post, among them being several former senators. Ackerman was sergeant-at-arms during the Eighty-first general assembly under the Willis administration.

Other posts filled were: Lloyd D. Bower of Columbus, journal clerk; Fred Fuller, Cadiz, message clerk; Fred Helen Purcell Roads, Hillsboro, engrossing clerk; Walter Dale, Urbana, enrolling clerk; L. R. Stoner, Canton, first assistant sergeant-at-arms; Captain S. F. Bell, Mansfield, second assistant sergeant-at-arms; Harry D. Knox, Marietta, index clerk; J. W. Carroll, Delaware, bill clerk; and O. B. Parsons, Shreve, assistant bill clerk.

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AGE PLAYERS
WILL REPEAT PLAYS

three plays recently presented by the Antioch Players of Antioch, Yellow Springs, will be in Urbana, Friday evening, for a pleasure of the Urbana Community Players.

The three plays are "The Medicine Shoe" by Stuart Walker (a curtain raiser), "The Lord's Prayer" by Francis Coppee and "The Wonder-tat" by Kenneth Sawyer Goodman and Ben Hecht.

Farm Wife Is Mother of

18 at 38; Hubby Is Maid

Flat Rock, Mich.—While Mrs. Henry Brunette with her eighteen children undoubtedly has set a record for the mothers of the Upper Peninsula, Henry himself is acquiring laurels as a housemaid. Mrs. Brunette is thirty-eight and her husband forty-two.

Fourteen of their children, including twin boys, who arrived recently, are living.

Brunette owns a farm, but finds time to do considerable of the housework. His wife does all the family washings and ironings, her own baking, ministers to the family, milks four cows and feeds 52 chickens every day.

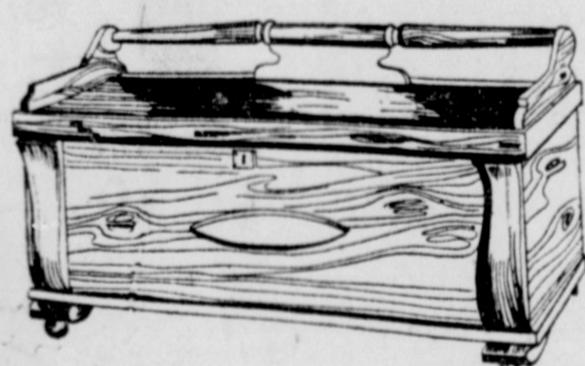
Mrs. Brunette was married when she was fourteen. Her first husband was killed in the woods when she was nineteen. Mrs. Brunette had three children then. She was married to Henry Brunette a year later. Nine of the children living are boys and five are girls. The ages are twenty-three, twenty-two, eighteen, fifteen, fourteen, twelve, ten, eight, six, five, two, thirteen months and four days.

Names in Ink on Back
Mark Newborn Babies

Baltimore.—There will be no cases of mistaken identity among the children born in the maternity ward of Johns Hopkins hospital if the new system for marking babies is a success.

At present the babies wear necklaces with their names spelled out in the beads. Under the new plan the names of the babies will be marked on their backs with ink which will wear for about three weeks.

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Dog Does Town's Greeting

A huge St. Bernard dog is the reception committee at the little mining village of White Horse, Alaska. Tourists returning here relate how impressed they were with the cordiality of the unique welcome accorded them there. Mrs. C. C. Puffer of Brockton, Mass., world traveler, told this story, according to the New York World.

"As we alighted in the town we were met by a large curly-haired St. Bernard dog. He carried a sign which read: 'Reception Committee of White Horse. Welcome. Shake!'

"We stretched out our hand and the smiling dog with massive head and kindly eyes raised a powerful paw for our handclasp.

"At the slightest squeeze of his foot the big dog welcomed every one by a barking bark, which immediately started all the malamutes in the village, until it became one howling pandemonium."

Electricity on Submarines

The electric storage battery is the thing that has made the submarine possible. When these under-sea boats are cruising on the surface of the water they are driven by steam or gas engines but when they dive toward Davy Jones' locker the engines are stopped and electric motors using energy drawn from the storage batteries keep the propellers whirling. When back on the surface the engines also drive electric dynamos which recharge the storage batteries. On board the U. S. S. V-1, recently launched at the Portsmouth (N. H.) navy yard, practically all of the work is done electrically save propelling the ship when surface cruising.

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"There are only two kinds of husbands, namely, the henpecked husband and the despot.

"The henpecked husband gives in at once. The despot gives in after supper."

LUMBERTON

The sick are much better at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Hiatt and Mrs. A. J. Michener spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bradshaw of near Eleazer.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Lewis and daughter Luna, spent Sunday in Wilmington with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Diboll and family.

Mr. and Mrs. James Fields and

family of Springfield spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Milo Fields.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Haines and daughter of near Xenia, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Haines of near Wilmington spent Sunday with their mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Anderson.

Mr. George McDonald and daughter, Esther spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Ellis and family of Kingman.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hiatt and family spent Sunday with Mr. and

Mrs. Harry Lighthiser and family.

Miss Violet Haines spent Saturday with her aunt, Mrs. William DeWitt.

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Personal and Society

THE NICEST courtesy you can show your guests is to have their visits mentioned on this page. The nicest courtesy you can show your friends is to let them know your visit through this page whenever you go away. The Gazette and Republican consider it a courtesy whenever you turn in an item of any kind. PHONE 70.

SCOTT-KEMP NUPTIALS SOLEMNIZED WEDNESDAY

The marriage of Mrs. Ruth Smith Scott, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Smith, East Market Street to Mr. George Lawrence Kemp of Middletown, was quietly solemnized at the home of the Rev. H. T. Crane, Mount Auburn, Cincinnati, Wednesday evening at 5:30 o'clock.

The couple's only attendants were Miss LaVeta Caskey, of Miamisburg and Mr. Chap Hensley of Middletown. Miss Caskey's costume was a brown chenille velvet dress and a coat in the same shade with brown fur trimming. Her flowers were a corsage of pink Columbia roses and sweet peas.

The bride was very attractive in a three piece suit in cranberry shade with fawn skin with brown water mink trimming. Her hat was in a corresponding shade with shoes and other accessories in brown. Her corsage consisted of guelder roses and sweet peas.

Mrs. Kemp is popular in a wide circle of friends in this city and has been honored at a series of pre-nuptial affairs.

Mr. Kemp is the only son of Mrs. Sarah L. Kemp of Cincinnati. He attended school at the University of Cincinnati, is a member of the Delta Tau Delta Fraternity and is now connected with the Lawrence Bag Company of Middletown, as secretary.

Mr. and Mrs. Kemp left on a wedding-trip south and on their return will go to housekeeping in their own home which they have furnished at 220 Franklin Street, Middletown, O.

FATHER, SON, MOTHER, DAUGHTER MARRIED

A mother and daughter and a father and son were principals in a wedding ceremony, performed at the parsonage of the Friends Church, the Rev. A. J. Furstenberger, officiating, Wednesday evening at 5 o'clock.

Mrs. Jennie J. Ertel, of the Cincinnati Pike and Mr. George W. King, of Maple Corner; Miss Mildred L. Ertel, daughter of Mrs. Ertel and Mr. Robert S. King, son of Mr. King, were united in marriage. The single ring ceremony was used by the Rev. Mr. Furstenberger for the double service.

The two couples will go to housekeeping immediately on the farm of Mr. King, Sr., near Maple Corner.

PARTIES GIVEN FOR MISS MESSENGER

Miss Lois Messenger, whose marriage will be an event of Friday, was complimented at two informal affairs, this week.

Mrs. H. C. Messenger entertained guests for four tables of bridge at her home on North King Street, Monday afternoon. A prettily appointed luncheon course followed cards. Miss Martha Johnson and Miss Isabelle Fairbanks of Springfield and Mrs. Ward Birch of Stanford, Conn., were out-of-town guests.

Miss Helen Dodds informally entertained a group of Miss Messenger's friends at her home on West Third Street, Monday evening.

REFORMED MEETING IS HELD ALL-DAY

The Women's Missionary Society of the First Reformed Church held an all-day meeting in the church parlors, Wednesday. The morning was spent knotting comforts and a kraft dinner was served at noon.

The afternoon program combined the regular monthly business meeting and a Christmas program. Mrs. Edwin Buck sang a solo.

REVIVAL SERVICE PROVING POPULAR

The revival services at the Church of the Nazarene, Orange Street and Bellbrook Avenue, are continuing with success. The Rev. Mr. Gilley delivers sermons each evening, the service being supplemented by the Rev. Frank Watkins, former pastor, now of Marion, O., who leads the singing.

The interest is retained during the remainder of the week, the meetings will be continued until December 17, it is announced.

Against Child Labor Amendment.

Columbus, Dec. 11.—The Ohio Cannery association went on record here as being opposed to the federal child labor amendment. In a resolution passed at the closing session of the annual convention the association denounced the exploitation of children in industry, but declared child labor is a question which the states should handle individually.

Kuczak Gets Another Chance.

Columbus, Dec. 11.—Alexander Kuczak, 19, of Akron, awaiting electrocution at Ohio penitentiary for the murder of his cousin, Elizabeth Nagy, 13, will get another chance for his life. At the request of Kuczak's counsel, C. G. Roetzel, Governor Donahay agreed to hear "further evidence" as to Kuczak's sanity. Roetzel said three alienists examined the youth at the time of his trial and found him mentally irresponsible.

Division in Union Ranks.

Cincinnati, Dec. 11.—A temporary injunction was issued against Edward Fitzgerald, president, and members of the grand executive board of the Brotherhood of Railway and Steamship Clerks, Freight Handlers, Express and Station Employees. The suit follows a division in the ranks of the union, which recently constructed a large office building here, primarily to house their bank and national executive headquarters. Fitzgerald is under charges which resulted in his suspension from office pending an investigation, it is alleged.

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MRS. MARTHA KINGAN DIES WEDNESDAY

Mrs. Martha Kingan, 79, former Yellow Springs resident, died at the Hotel Bancroft, Springfield, Wednesday night. Mrs. Kingan lived in Yellow Springs a number of years ago, and had been residing at the Springfield hotel recently.

The remains will be brought to the home of P. M. Stewart, Yellow Springs, where private funeral services will be held Friday afternoon. The Rev. J. P. William, pastor of the Yellow Springs Methodist Church, a friend of Mrs. Kingan, and the Rev. C. H. White of the Yellow Springs Presbyterian Church, of which Mrs. Kingan was a member, will have charge of the services. Interment will be made in Glen Forest Cemetery.

Mrs. Ward Birch, who has been the houseguest of the Misses Florence and Margaret Steele, North Galloway Street, has returned to her home in Stanford, Conn.

Mr. James Wilson, III, is confined to his home on North Galloway Street, with grip.

CEDARVILLE

The Research Club met at the home of Mrs. George Creswell Thursday afternoon.

Miss Marian Mitchell left this week for Paw Paw Lake, Coloma, Michigan, where she will visit for several weeks, with her aunt, Mrs. Elizabeth Petty. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dobbins and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Turner entertained a number of guests with a 6 o'clock dinner at the home of Mrs. Dobbins.

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe McCorkell of Ft. Wayne, Ind., were guests of relatives here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Jobe and family left Wednesday for their new home in Canton, Ohio.

The Kadanta Club gave their annual banquet to their husbands at Community Hall, Thursday night.

The Golden Rule Class of the M. E. Church was entertained at the home of Mrs. Charles Crouse, Thursday night.

The Young People's Society of the U. P. Church received a moving picture film of Egypt, which was shown in the Opera House, Wednesday evening, December 10 at 8 o'clock. This is said to be one of the finest educational pictures that has ever been shown.

Dr. and Mrs. J. P. White had for their guest this week, Rev. R. W. Caldwell of New Concord. He is a missionary from Egypt.

Mrs. W. A. Spencer is spending a few days in Dayton, the guest of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Roll Shultz.

Mrs. Will Crawford has returned to her home in Miles City, Montana. She has been here for several months with her mother, Mrs. J. M. Milburn, who has been ill for quite a long time.

Mrs. Marshall Barker and little son, Charles of Hamilton, O., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Galloway.

Mr. Reese Barber of Hollywood, Cal., has been visiting his mother, Mrs. Janette Eskridge during the past week.

Miss Kate Nisbet passed last week with her brother, Charles Nisbet and family of Loveland.

Word has been received here of the death of Mr. Frank Milburn of Lodi. Death was the result of an injury to his chest sustained last August.

Mrs. Raymond Ritenour was taken to McClellan Hospital Friday where she will undergo an operation.

A meeting of the Hagar Seventy-Five Club was held at the plant Sabbath afternoon. Dr. W. R. McChesney gave an unusually good address and music was furnished by a men's quartette from Xenia. Refreshments were served.

Miss Florence Kirschner of Columbus was the week end guest of Miss Ruth DeWitt.

The Choral Club met Monday evening with the Clifton Choral society. These two organizations expect to combine their talent for Christmas music.

The Fortnightly Club was entertained Tuesday evening at the Community Hall by Miss Sue Koehler.

Misses Ruth DeWitt and Kathleen Blair attended an afternoon tea Tuesday afternoon at the home of Miss Helen and Elsie Kennedy.

The Young Ladies' Missionary Society of the Methodist Church will meet Thursday evening at the home of Kathleen Blair.

HERE AND THERE

Stanley Curtis, 16, alias Mathias, confessed to Prosecutor Wescott at Camden, N. J., that he shot and killed his 16-year-old sweetheart, Betsy Ross, at her home in Gloucester. Curtis said he and the girl had quarreled and that he drew the revolver to frighten her.

A \$1,000,000 fire swept through the Bridgewater (Mass.) state normal school plant, destroying six of nine buildings composing the group.

Charles E. Rutherford, former secretary of the Communist party of America, was found guilty at Lansing, Mich., of violation of the state socialism law through participation in the national convention of the party at Bridgeman, Mich., in 1922.

American state department has approved Germany's selection of State Secretary Maltzahn as ambassador to the United States.

Three men held up the Federal National bank at Shawnee, Okla., locked the cashier and the president in a vault and escaped with loot estimated at \$15,000.

Found Unconscious.

Lexington, Ky., Dec. 11.—Doctors are mystified by strange features in the case of Miss Avis Marsh, 21, for Thomas, Ky., and will make an x-ray photograph in an effort to determine whether her skull has been injured. She has been unconscious, except for brief intervals, for two days. Miss Marsh was found lying on the floor of the office where she was employed last Saturday night.

Watkins' Disappearance.

Watkins, O., Dec. 11.—Local klanmen announced that E. A. Watkins, who disappeared recently, had been sent away by his own friends "for the good of the cause," and that he would not return. City authorities received protests recently against the use by Colonel Watkins of a building intended for a police station to drill a "state police force," which he organized here.

NEWS SPOTLIGHT CENTRES ON THESE.



Above: THOMAS W. LAWSON & HENRY M. DAWES.
Below: MRS. LYDIA LOCKE MARKS & JOHN HENRY WHITLEY

Controller of the Currency Henry M. Dawes, brother of Vice Pres. elect Charles Gates Dawes, has resigned, and it is understood he is slated for the presidency of General Dawes's Pure Oil Company. Recently divorced from Arthur T. Marks, millionaire head of the Skinner Organ Company, Mrs. Lydia Locke Marks, has been married for the fourth time when she became the bride of her secretary, Henry Dorasler, at Yorktown, N. Y.

Thomas W. Lawson, author of "Frenzied Finance," now poor and a nurse has been rushed from Boston to give him insulin treatment.

The recently elected British House of Commons has assembled and unanimously elected John Henry Whitley as speaker. He has held that post since April, 1921.



A Suggestion

Why not be your own Santa Claus this year and drop a pair of our glasses in your stocking?

If you leave it to us, we will see that they are RIGHT. This goes for the rest of the family, too.

The best time is NOW.

Come in.

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FORMER XENIAN IS DEAD IN SANTA ANA

Word has been received by relatives and friends of the death of John D. Allen, 87, of Santa Ana, Calif., former Xenian, which occurred at his western home December 3.

Mr. Allen left Xenia thirty-seven years ago and located in the west. He was associated with the Putnam Shoe Store in this city, when he resided here.

His wife was before marriage Miss Elizabeth Swope, of Springfield, O., sister of Mr. Allen. Mrs. Fannie Long, of Washington, D. C., with Mrs. Allen survives. Mr. and Mrs. Allen visited in this city a few years ago.

Funeral services and burial took place at Santa Ana. Mr. Allen was a member of Christ Episcopal Church, this city.

NEW BURLINGTON

William Mills, who has been in failing health for some time is now very ill. Mr. Allen of Spring Valley is his nurse.

Mr. and Mrs. Zimri Haines, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Haines and two children were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Raleigh Borgan and daughter.

Thirty-four children, members of the Sunshine Society, were pleasantly entertained Saturday afternoon at the country home of Noggle and Virginia Laupre. Games were played after the regular business meeting, and pop corn and apples served.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Scammon, December 4th, a son Donald, Mrs. Parmer Stanley and family of Eugenie.

Mr. and Mrs. Burwell Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Conklin

daughter Leona, entertained at dinner Sunday in honor of the birthday anniversary of Mr. Miller the following persons: Mr. and Mrs. George Fletcher and daughter Thelma of the Federal pike, near Xenia; Mrs. Rachel Miller, Mrs. Jennie M. Reeves and daughter Miss Alice, Mrs. A. H. Harlan, Miss Maude Harlan of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Blair and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Virgo Mitchner were entertained Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Amos Compton.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Heller and daughter of Oakland were guests Sunday of Mrs. Mary Lemar.

Mrs. Lydia Hill and Miss Ellen Jenkins were guests Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Hill and family.

The regular business meeting and social of the Christian Endeavor Society will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Jones Friday evening.

There will be a special service at the Friends Church Sunday morning and W. E. Bogan of Spring Valley will have charge of the evening service.

A family from Dayton has purchased and moved into the Rhoades property west of town.

Rev. Homer Curless preached at the M. E. Church Sunday evening. The regular preaching service being held every two weeks at night.

The New Burlington Band repeated its minstrel at Kingman Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Noggle and daughter entertained Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Parmer Stanley and family of Eugenie.

Mr. and Mrs. Burwell Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Conklin

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"THANK YOU"

Salesmen in one of the most successful merchandising operations of the day, stretching its chain of stores across the continent, are taught to return a hearty "Thank You" for every purchase. It is a first rule in their course of instruction. It is impressed on the beginner's mind as important. It is universally enforced. And why? Obviously because it is the courteous thing to do because it is not always wasted and makes an appreciative patron oftentimes. Most of us confess a pleasant reaction to such a "Thank you," and the promoter of this enterprise starts with the fundamental theory that the secret of successful salesmanship lies in a knowledge of human nature.

But back of the obvious is the truth that these "Thank yous" make better salesmen. The reaction is not entirely on the part of the customer. For one thing, a person can't keep saying "Thank you" to the rest of the world and nurse a grievance or a grouch. It doesn't matter if the "Thank you" comes out somewhat perfunctorily at first. If it is kept up gets the better of the grouch. It does not need to be drilled into the mind of any salesman that he can't treat his customer as if it were a condescension to show goods, toss his purchase across the counter and change his bill as if it were a perfect nuisance and then say "Thank you" to him with any idea that he is getting it across. There would be something more than inconsistency in that. George Whelan knows human nature, of salesmen as well as customers, and that's why he requires his salesmen to say "Thank you."

The idea is not patented or copyrighted. It is open for everybody, and the wider the adoption the better for everybody.

The principle is of general application. One of the most unfortunate afflictions in life is a grouch, which is a grievance nursed until it has become more or less chronic. And the quickest and surest cure for a grouch is thankfulness. No matter how sore you may be over something, if you can look around and find something to be thankful for and actually begin to give thanks for it, happiness will drive away the bitterness as surely as the sun chases the darkness at its every rising.

In the individual contacts of life "Thank yous" mean a lot. They leave a trail of good impressions as one passes along and establish a very comfortable liaison with the rest of the world, even if there is not always complete reciprocity.—From the Philadelphia Bulletin.

AND THE BEST EPITAPH IS: "HER NOVELS WERE CLEAN"

Gene Stratton Porter sold tons of her novels to the thousands of certain popular writers who were her rivals. Like others who have written a great deal, she sacrificed supreme distinction in style to celerity, but she did not defy the canons of morality, and "she held her pen in trust to art, not serving shame or lust." Probably she will be longest remembered not by the stories that pleasantly commingled adventure with sentiment but by the studies she made of the natural history of her California neighborhood. It was her plan to alternate writings of fact and fancy; and though her works in the former category had a small following as compared with the stories, it was a satisfaction to her to feel that her earthly immortality had a more substantial foundation than a best-seller on the crest of a passing wave of popular fancy.

LET PEOPLE RULE SAYS RITCHIE

"Give the government of this country back to the people and let us have two political parties that are actually different in principles." So pleads Governor Albert C. Ritchie, Democrat, of Maryland. This twice-elected Governor wants a bill laid upon amendments to the Constitution except by popular vote; and he wants the Democrats and Republicans to get together upon a plan of decentralization. Put in plain terms, the Governor wants the people to do everything for themselves that they can and Government to do only those things they can't do. It is good doctrine according to Declaration and Constitution—Government working up from the people instead of down from the bureaucrat.

JUST FOLKS

Edgar A. Guest

THE JOB

Suppose life were football, or baseball or tennis. And your name was Watson, or Williams, or Dennis. And you were the fullback—you'd know without doubt then just what your job was, its in and its out then, and just what a fullback with real spirit should be. And you'd try to be the best fullback you could be.

Well, life is like football—without explanation.

You find yourself cast at some difficult station.

You don't know just why you were placed where life holds you.

Or the curious chance that in such a show molds you—

you are, working at some sing or other.

Our best to that job and don't say another.

Now what your name is—I'll venture that maybe

alled you Jim Green when you came as a baby.

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best
with
DAVIS
BAKING
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You know that you're here, but not what God meant you to do when to labor as Jim Green sent you;

Well, this is your duty—whatever God's plan be:

To be the best sort of a Jim Green you can be!

Don't worry about the vague why and the therefore,

There is much in this life we can't answer, and therefore

Give thought to yourself. Are you fair in your labor?

Do you make a good man, a good friend, a good neighbor?

With your job as Jim Green, as the swift years are going,

Are you doing your best, is your Jim

Well, life is like football—without explanation.

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HEADACHE

Don't Suffer! Get a 10c package of Dr. James Headache Powders

Any kind of a headache is relieved in two minutes. Distress and pain vanish, your head clears and you are again ready for work or play. Druggists sell millions of "Dr. James Headache Powders" because they are safe.

Mrs. Hendren is the widow of S. B. Hendren, Rockford Civil war veteran. She receives a pension from the government as a survivor of her husband. Nearly all of the pension money has gone toward keeping of her children.

Bible training and kindness are the two prime factors of upbringing of her children, she says.

"Little Charles, my latest boy, will stay with me until I die, and then somebody else must take care of him."

Mrs. Hendren said. Charles, an adopted boy, is five years old.

BLACKING HIS OTHER EYE



1904-Twenty Years Ago-1924

The Greene County Teachers' Association held an interesting meeting in the auditorium of the McKinley building December 10, 1904. There was a large number of teachers out to hear the scholarly addresses.

An extra policeman is to be added to the force while the holiday season is on. James H. Canaday, who has been clerking at Ed Schmidt's store has been asked to help out the appoint for the present being temporary.

The opening game of basketball for Xenia will be played on Friday night when the local Y. M. C. A. team will meet the Cordon Club of Dayton.

R. R. Grieve secretary of the Xenia fair board, is down on the program at the meeting of the Ohio Fair Managers' Association in Springfield, December 14 and 15, and will be one of the speakers on the subject of "General Management and Care of Fair Grounds for the Year."

Efficient Housekeeping

BY Laura A. Kirkman

CROCHETING A MAN'S GOLF VEST
TOMORROW'S MENU
Breakfast
Stewed Dried Apricots
Cereal
Codfish Balls Coffee
Pop Overs Luncheon
Vegetable Souffle
Wholewheat Bread
Apple Sauce Dinner
Cocoa
Potatoes Cod Steaks
Tomatoes
Lettuce Salad
Steamed Date Pudding
Hard Sauce Coffee

two stitches, work across to front. On next row leave three stitches at armhole, turn, * skip one stitch, work over and back, repeat from * three times, 25 stitches being decreased.

Now decrease one stitch every other row toward the front till 20 stitches remain, then decrease at the neck and increase at the armhole every other row 14 times (always having 20 sts. in row). Work to within two stitches of armhole, turn.

Row Three—Work four S. C. on chain one S. C. in next two, taking up front loop. Chain five and turn.

Row Four—One S. C. in first three taking up front loop. * One S. C. in next two taking up front loop; one S. C. in next two taking up back loop, and repeat from *. Chain five and turn.

Now repeat rows three and four till you have 15 single crochet and

are careful to keep to the pattern.

From here keep front edge straight and add four stitches at other end till

52 single crochet are across. Work

21 rows. On the next row, starting at front edge, work 15 stitches, chain

21, skip 21, work to end of row, and

now work without increasing till

work measures eight inches on under-

arm seam. On next row leave 14

stitches for armhole. Turn, skip

two stitches, work across to front.

On next row leave three stitches at

armhole, turn, * skip one stitch, work

over and back, repeat from * three

times, 25 stitches being decreased.

Now decrease one stitch every

other row toward the front till 20

stitches remain, then decrease at the

neck and increase at the armhole

every other row 14 times (always

having 20 sts. in row). Work to

within two stitches of armhole, turn.

Row Five—Work five rows of S. C.

across lower edge of pockets, sew

sides to sweater. Work a border of

three rows of single crochet all

around edges.

chain one, skip the first two, keep front edge straight, repeat from *, till four stitches remain, then bind off.

Left Front—Work left to correspond with the right front except on the row after the 52 stitches are across; starting at underarm, work 16, chain 18, skip 18, finish. Finish same as first front. Back—Chain 50, work in single crochet, taking up both loops, work ten rows, increase one st. at each end every twelfth row till back is as long as front on underarm seam. Now decrease one st. at each end on next three rows, work straight for six and one-half inches, then increase one st. at each end every other row twice. Decrease one stich each side every row 14 times, leaving 19 sts. for neck. Sew up seams. Work five rows of S. C. across lower edge of pockets, sew sides to sweater. Work a border of three rows of single crochet all around edges.

Tomorrow—Contributed Recipes.

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Today's Talks

GOD'S BREATH

From the days of my rompers until now I have been a passionate lover of flowers. They always give me a thrill. And whenever the thursts of an unkind fate sting this heart of mine, I never fail to find solace in the love, beauty, and fragrance of the simplest flower.

I like the delicate perfumes that the manufacturer puts up into dainty bottles. I like perfumed women, especially where they reflect the beauty of the flowers from which the perfume came.

Often I go into a perfumer's place and ask the privilege of smelling the different bottles. Each scent carries me in dreams to the furthest parts of the earth where the original colors and beauties grew and kissed the silent night.

And when I go back upon the street I think how wonderful it is to catch the scent of lovely lives perfumed with out-of-the-way acts of love and kindness, gentle words, and thoughts sacred from contact with the breath of Heaven.



The Thrill of Love

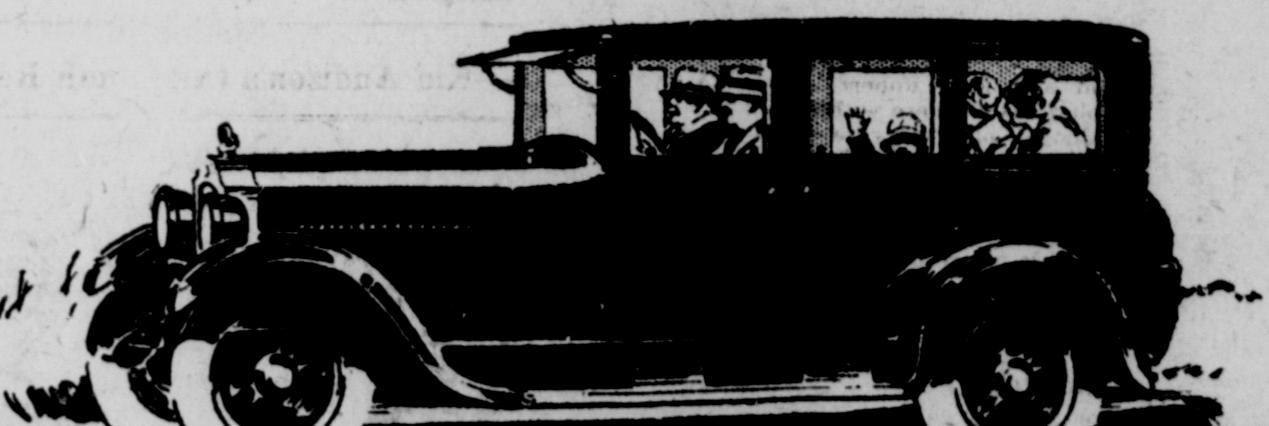
—and its most beautiful expression

A rope of pearls . . . exquisite product of the goldsmith's art . . . since the dawn of history—the most desired, most coveted adornment of beautiful womanhood. No other gift can so perfectly express the unselfish love of a man for a woman.

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4-wheel brakes, 5 disc wheels, \$60 extra

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5-Pass. Duplex-Phantom . \$1495
3-Pass. Duplex-Roadster . 1450
4-Pass. Victoria 2050
5-Pass. Sedan 2150
5-Pass. Berlin 2225
4-wheel brakes, 5 disc wheels, \$75 extra

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127-in. W.B. 75 H.P.
5-Pass. Duplex-Phantom . \$1495
3-Pass. Duplex-Roadster . 1450
7-Pass. Sedan 2785
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CRABBE RULING ON AUTO TAG FEES TO UPSET DEPARTMENT

Columbus, Dec. 11.—Attorney General C. C. Crabbe, in an opinion handed down to Prosecutor Orel J. Myers of Darke county, outlawed the practice of automobile clubs and deputy registrars of automobiles in charging a fee of 25 cents for services rendered in issuing automobile license tags.

The attorney general held that the fee system, inaugurated a year ago in some counties and which was generally criticised, was without authority in law and that the deputy registrars could be made to account for the money thus collected. Mr. Crabbe's opinion will prevent the system from being invoked again in 1925. The opinion quoted from section 3291 of the general code, providing for the appointment of deputy registrars, which after reciting the duties of these officials says, "and they shall serve without compensation." "Nowhere in these statutes," said the attorney general, "is there any express or implied authority for the secretary of state to charge for this service any fees or compensation," excepting the auto tax itself, "which he is required to collect and pay into the state treasury. It must be kept in mind that it has been an established policy of this state for a long period of time that fees and compensation are not allowed by implication and that there is no such thing as constructive fees."

Assistant Secretary of State Joe Baird, when informed of the opinion, declared that the only hope of a solution to the problem would be for the speedy enactment of a fee law by the Eighty-sixth general assembly. "We have sent out thousands of these tags to deputy registrars for the 1925 season," he said. "If they refuse to serve without compensation we can not force them to serve. The only alternative is the use of the mails and the persons who are now objecting to the small fee would have to wait for months and months for their tags, because we have not an adequate office force here in Columbus to take care of the congestion that would follow a strictly mail order business."

JAMESTOWN

The Women's Missionary Society of the Church of Christ held a meeting at the church, Wednesday afternoon and each member of the congregation brought a gift for a Christmas box which is to be sent to Misionary Homes in St. Louis.

The ladies of the Aid of the M. E. Church held a cafeteria supper, Friday night. Almost \$50 was realized.

The Advance Club met with Mrs. L. S. Farquhar last Monday afternoon. Mrs. J. W. Binegar read a paper on "Our Native Trees." Mrs. Ogan read a article about Ezra Meeker, and Mrs. C. E. Thuma, Mrs. Bargill and Mrs. Carey Thompson read papers on "Yellowstone Park," the "Grand Canyon," and "Glacier Park."

"The Gleaners" of the Presbyterian Sabbath School met last week at the home of Mrs. Orlando Turnhill for a business meeting and social hour.

Harold Lewis is recovering from an operation for appendicitis and some minor troubles, performed at the McClellan hospital last week.

Mrs. William Henry and Miss Galvin spent last Tuesday and Wednesday in Dayton.

Mr. and Mrs. Macey Bolen are announcing the birth of a son on Dec. 4.

The Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the Methodist Church held an unusually interesting meeting at the home of Mrs. W. T. Harper last Thursday afternoon. Devotions were conducted by Mrs. M. F. Titus. Mrs. Farquhar was program leader, and was assisted in her presentation of the study book, "Ming-Kuong" by Miss Mary Jenkins. A demonstration entitled "Our Gifts" was given by fourteen members. Mrs. M. L. Hilton read a leaflet. Mrs. W. H. Klett and Miss Lucy Smith sang. A Christmas thank offering amounting to \$22 was taken. A social hour was enjoyed after the program.

Mr. Al Zelner is critically ill with pneumonia. His daughter, Miss Mary of Cleveland and Mrs. Robert Harcourt of Columbus are here with him.

Richard Cooper of Cedarville College visited Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Bryan, Sunday.

Richard Frazier is at home for the month of December after a year's absence in the west where he has worked at his profession of Tree Surgery.

The Deadly Sex

She invited him to parties, dances, teas and everything that she properly could. Her eyes were very soft. She did her best to please him in every way. She led him through the moonlight and gave him all the chance in the world to tell her the old, old story. But he didn't want her for a life partner, and so, of course, he didn't tell her the story.

But later on another fellow did, and she agreed to wed. And one day she chanced to meet on the street the chap she had haunted in the past and this kind and gentle reader, is what she said to him:

"Oh, Jimmy, didn't we used to have perfectly wonderful times playing around together? You were a dandy pal! But, oh, you don't know how different it seems to a girl when she has met the one!"

And still they call them the weaker sex!—William Sanford, in Judge.

Half of Taxes For Schools.

Columbus, Dec. 11.—According to the annual report of Auditor of State Tracy, 47 cents of every dollar collected in Ohio in the year ended Oct. 1 went for school purposes. Municipal needs came next highest, taking 27 cents; 20½ cents went for county purposes; 6 cents to the townships, and 1½ cents for world war bonds. The total tax collection for the year was \$228,529,899,487, divided as follows: State (world war bonds), \$3,615,931.30; county, \$45,939,100.88; township, \$13,454,690.08; schools, \$103,631,891.12; cities and villages, \$61,989,286.49.

Market News

LIVE STOCK

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK

Hogs—Receipts 72000; market steady; bulk \$8.50@9.60; top \$9.90; heavy weight \$9.60@9.90; medium weight \$8.85@9.90; light lights \$6@8.40; heavy packing sows, smooth \$9@9.20; packing sows, rough \$8.75@9; pigs \$5.50@6.75.

Cattle—Receipts 17,000; market 25¢ lower; beef steers choice and prime \$10@11; medium and good \$8@9.50; good and choice \$12.50; common and medium \$7@9.50; butcher cattle—heifers \$5@10.50; cows \$7@7; bulls \$3.50@6.50; canners and cutters—cows and heifers \$2@4.50; canner steers \$5.50; veal calves (light and handyweight) \$8.50@10.50; feeder steers \$5.50@8; stocker steers \$5@7.50; stocker cows and heifers \$3@5.50; stocker calves \$5@7.50.

Sheep—Receipts 26,000; market 25¢ lower; lambs: fat \$14.50@15.75; lambs: culs and common \$10@12.50; yearlings \$11@13; wethers \$8.50@10; ewes \$8@9; ewes: culs and common \$2@4; breeding ewes \$6.50@12; feeder lambs \$1@15.40.

PITTSBURGH LIVE STOCK

Cattle—Supply 150; market steady. Sheep and Lamb—Supply 300; market steady.

Hogs—Receipts 7500; market steady; higher; prime heavy hogs \$9.90@10; medium \$9.35@9.45; heavy workers \$9.25@9.35; light workers \$7@7.25; pigs \$6.50@6.55; roughs \$7.50@8.50; stags \$4@5.50.

DAYTON LIVESTOCK

Shaeffer Commission Company

HOGS

Receipts, 12 cars; market 10@20c lower.

Heavies, 200 lbs. up \$9.65
Mediums, 160-200 lbs. \$9.15
Heavy workers \$8.65
Light workers \$7.00
Sows \$7.00
Pigs, 130 lbs. down 4.00@5.50
Stags 4.00@5.00

CATTLE

Receipts 12 cars; market slow.

Best butcher steers 7.00@8.00
Medium butcher steers 6.00@7.00
Bulls 4.00@5.00
Veal calves 6.00@10.00
Best butcher heifers 6.00@7.00
Medium heifers 4.00@5.00
Cows 4.00@5.00
Ows 2.50@3.50
Jws 1.50@2.50

SHEEP

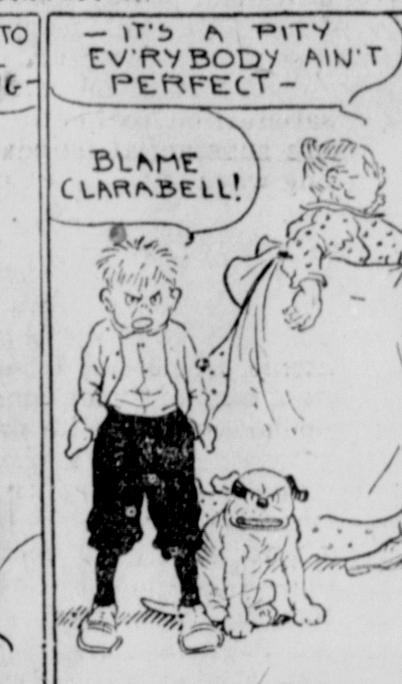
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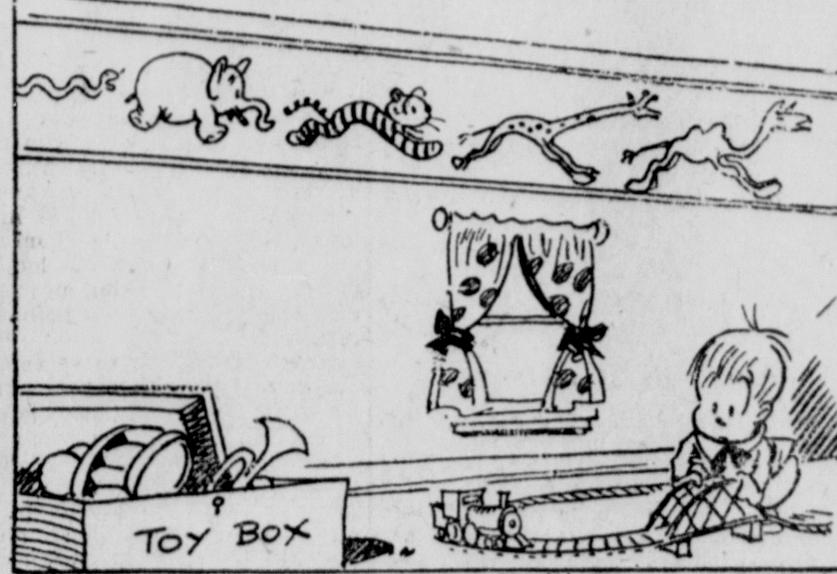
Faulkner and St. John

Butter, \$2@4.
Oil, \$2@3.
Calves, \$6@8.
Cows, \$8.25.
Hams, \$8.25.
Hog workers, \$7.00.

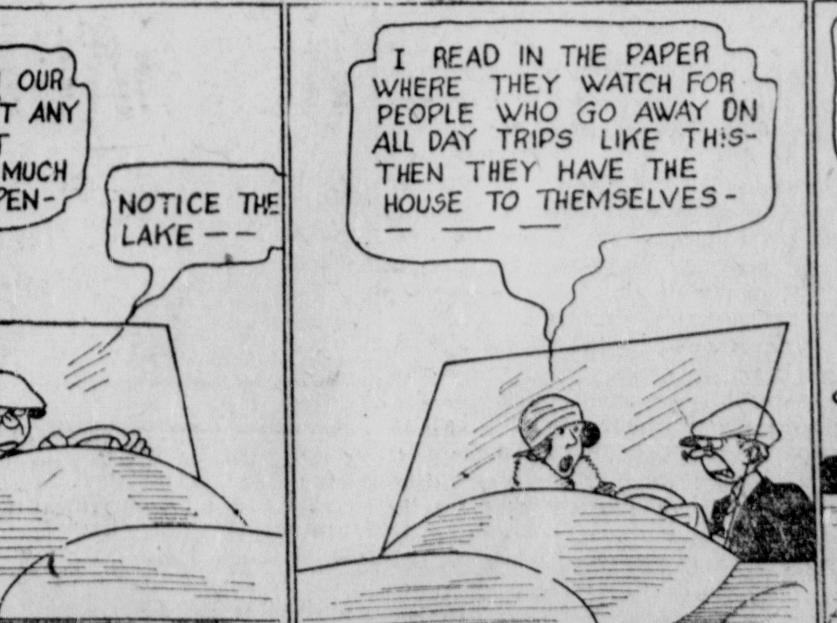
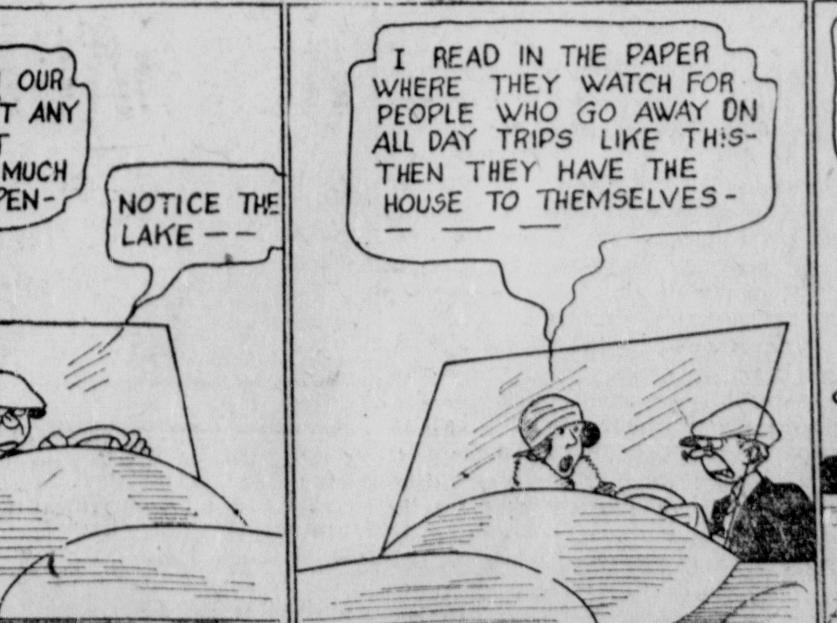
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SNOODLES—Kid Addison's One Tooth Receives Attention



GAS BUGGIES—The Call Of Nature



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Country Butter—45c per pound.
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Stews—40c per pound.
Spring Roasts—40c per pound.
Spring Broilers—40c per pound.
Ducks, 40c per lb.
Turkeys, 65c.
Prices Paid for Delivery at Plant
Heavy Hens—18@20c.
Fresh Eggs—50c dozen.
Roosters—10c per pound.
Dries—18@20c.
Ducks on foot, 18c per lb.

XENIA
Young chickens, 16c.
Good hens, 17c.
Leghorns, 12c.
Eggs, 55c.
Leghorns, 14c.
Eggs, 52c.

EAST END NEWS

Mrs. Mayreacy Hughuley, 17, died at the Springfield City Hospital, Wednesday night at 11:15 o'clock. Death was caused by a complication of diseases following the birth of a son, a few days ago.

Mrs. Hughuley was the wife of D. M. Hughuley and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ulysses Deatherage, of the Wilmington Pike.

Mr. and Mrs. Hughuley resided with Mrs. Hughuley's parents. Besides her husband and parents Mrs. Hughuley is survived by her infant son; one brother, Charles William Deatherage. Mrs. Hughuley's father, formerly resided on the farm of Bishop J. H. Jones at Wilberforce. Mrs. Hughuley attended grade school at Wilberforce.

The remains were brought to this city by Undertaker Johnson and were taken to the Deatherage home Thursday evening. The body will be shipped to Richmond, Ky., for burial.

Mrs. William Scoot (nee Anna Carroll) is very ill at her home on East Third Street.

Mrs. Charles Sackett of Springfield, was the Tuesday guest of relatives here.

Friends have received word here of the serious accident which happened to Mrs. Sadie Anderson of Cleveland, president of the North Ohio Branch Missionary Society of the A. M. E. Church. While on her way to Warren, O., in an auto wreck, she had both limbs broken. She is the wife of Chaplin W. F. Anderson, well known here.

Rev. J. H. Maxwell and wife of Middletown in company with Mrs. James Morgan and Mrs. Greene Dickerson were Wednesday guests of Rev. W. T. Maxwell and wife of East Market Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Cull of Yellow Springs were in attendance to the funeral of Mr. William Tibbs Tuesday.

In Society
"I am giving a lawn party if you like some society films."

"Sorry," said the news reel man, "but I can't take any photographers away from the swimming pools."

—Louisville Courier-Journal.

BELLBROOK

The new school house will be ready for the admission of pupils on Jan. 1. A number of his brothers in the Junior and K. of P. Lodges attended the funeral of F. M. Burrell at Xenia Friday afternoon.

The Brown school house sold for \$5.75 and the white temple of learning for \$3,690.00. The former was purchased by Mr. Miller of Dayton and the latter by Samuel Haines.

John Stake is spending a few days with his son Harry in Dayton.

Word was received here this week that Thomas Belt, a former resident, had died at his home near Miami- burg.

Mrs. Oscar Croll will not go to New Jersey for the present as formally announced.

There will be religious services at the town hall Sunday evening, December the 1st at 7 o'clock.

Charles Ryne has started a retail meat market on the corner of Main and Maple Streets.

Mrs. Emiline Stuck has recovered from a siege of the mumps.

Funeral services were held for Mr. Sayler at 2 p. m. Monday and burial was made in Bellbrook cemetery.

Mrs. Minnie Mills has returned home after two weeks spent at the bedside of her sister who has been ill for the past two weeks at her home near Lytle.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Weaver and son Jimmie were Dayton visitors for two days last week.

Rev. McChesney of Cedarville, preached to a full house at the town hall last Sunday night.

J. R. Riggs will make public sale of his personal property Tuesday Dec. 16.

Thieves Friday night killed and hauled away four hogs of O. A. and Wilbur Berryhill and wounded several others.

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Mrs. John Peterson, one mile east of town, who has been in delicate health for a number of years, died at the home of her son, Joseph Peterson, Monday night.

Bobbed Hair Long Ago

"The new woman" will no longer be able to employ as a sign of her emancipation a bobbed head of hair. It has just been discovered in the little town of Wymington, Northamptonshire, that this fashion is at least five hundred years old. The restoration of the parish church there has revealed a painting depicting women with their hair bobbed in the style of 1924.

Hidden under coating of thin plaster were discovered wall paintings representing the resurrection and the judgment. The plaster has now been carefully removed to show the decorations. Most of the figures in the paintings are women. Some have their hair falling about the shoulders, but the artist

CAMERA NEWS



WOODROW WILSON'S DAUGHTER SAILS



MRS. MRS. FRANCIS SAYRE & CHILDREN

Mr. and Mrs. Francis F. B. Sayre, of New York, with their three children, Eleanor, Woodrow Wilson and Francis, Jr., have sailed for a tour of Europe. Mrs. Sayre is the former Miss Jessie Wilson, daughter of the late Woodrow Wilson.

WELLESLEY'S PRIDE 100 PER CENT PERFECT



LORNA C. BROWN. INTL.

Lorna C. Brown, song leader of the 1926 Class at Wellesley College, Wellesley, Mass., has been pronounced the only American girl in the college who has perfect teeth. The photograph also reveals that her smile is likewise 100 per cent perfect.

IS SHE "RASPUTIN OF BELGIUM"?



BERTHE MIRAZEK.

A recent arrest of Berthe Mirazek, noted woman faith healer, in Brussels, caused rioting in the Belgian capital, a number of her devout followers being injured. She was charged with fraud. Berthe Mirazek was dubbed the "Rasputin of Belgium." She affects mannish attire and cosmetics.

TWO BEAUTIES LINKED FOR LIFE.

CZAR'S WARD WINS MUSICAL CAREER.

Woman Holds High Indian Office.



VIOLET & DAISY HILTON. INTL.

Violet and Daisy Hilton, of San Antonio, Texas, are said to be the first "Siamese twins" of an English-speaking race to arrive at maturity. They are in their seventeenth year.



RUTH GILLETTE. INTL.

The Song of Songs Girl, of Los Angeles, known all over the country to radio fans as Ruth Gillette, has reached New York to star in a new revue. A little over three years ago she arrived in America with her guardian, Nydia Titchanoff. They had no money, but the girl was possessed of a rare voice, one that had cost many thousands of rubles during the Czarist regime. Her father had been killed during a wolf hunt while a guest of the Russian royal family, and the Czar had overseen her musical education.

PRINCIPALS IN MYSTERIOUS "MR. A." BLACKMAIL PLOT.



RAJAH SIR HARI SINGH, (1) CHARLES E. ROBINSON, (2) MONTAGUE NEWTON, (3) EARL HALSBURY, (4) MRS. MARY E. ROBINSON, (5) MR. JUSTICE DARLING, & (6) SIR JOHN SIMON. INTL.

Here are the first photographs to reach America of the principals in the famous London blackmail case, in which Charles Ernest Robinson, an English bookmaker, sued the Midland Bank for \$750,000, alleging a check made to his order by "Mr. A." an Indian potentate whose name was withheld for reasons of state, had been paid to other persons. It was revealed that "Mr. A." who is reported in London to be Rajah Sir Hari Singh, son of the fabulously rich Maharajah of Kashmir, had been trapped in a Paris hotel with Mrs. Robinson, by Montague Newton, who posed as Robinson. The case was heard before Mr. Justice Darling, in London, the bank being represented by Sir John Simon, while Earl Halsbury appeared for Robinson.

RIVER BUOYS GO INTO WINTER QUARTERS



REMOVING ST. LAWRENCE BUOYS. INTL.

One of the huge automatic gas buoys which mark the St. Lawrence river channel from Montreal to the sea is shown being hoisted out for winter storage at the Canadian Government docks at Sorel, Quebec. They are taken out each year at the close of navigation to protect them from the ice.

Posed as Husband to Brother's Wife



H. L. L. MORGAN.

When H. L. L. Morgan, forty-two, was arrested in Camden, N. J., charged with bigamy, he offered one of the most novel defenses ever heard. He denied he had ever been married to the woman with whom he was living, asserting it was his twin brother who had married her. He said he began to live with the woman as a joke, and that she could not tell him from his brother. He was held while police checked his story.

THIS MOVIE ROMANCE IS SAVED.



BELLE BENNETT.

Despite the fact that his fiancee, beautiful Belle Bennett, screen star, was alleged in Hollywood, Cal., had signed a contract to live with Jack Geller "as his wife" for a period of five years, in return for his services as her manager, Fred Windemore, film director, announced that their marriage would take place Thanksgiving Day. Miss Bennett at the time the report started, denied it emphatically.

FINAL FOOTBALL TILT HERE SUNDAY

The last football game of the season will be played Sunday afternoon, December 14, at Washington Park when two local teams, the Bayliff Electrics and East Side Athletics will meet to decide the city championship. The Athletics defeated the Imperials last week by a 24 to 0 score and won the titular honors but the Bayliffs then came along and booked the Athletics. The Bayliffs will be made up of Imperial stars, coupled with Buck, Holder, Fisher and "Hank" Barnett. The Bayliff eleven is sure it can even things up with the colored players. Roy Bayliff is manager of the team.

The Athletics will have the same team on hands Sunday that beat the Imperials so this means that eight or nine college stars will be in the lineup. This being the case they are given a slight edge and when the teams clash the fur is bound to fly. The game will start at 2:15 o'clock with out-of-town officials in charge. Fifty cents admission will be charged to all.

Brings Sunshine to Aunt; \$100,000 Is Her Reward

New York.—By the terms of the will of Virginia L. Leman, Brooklyn, her niece, Gladys M. Stevenson, is made the principal beneficiary, receiving more than \$100,000.

The bequest is made because "she is young and has not been prepared to cope with the world or to earn her living therein" and because she brought "sunshine and happiness" into the life of her aunt.

Miss Stevenson lived with her aunt since the death of Peter Leman 15 years ago.

SOAKS RIGHT IN AND LIMBERS UP STIFF JOINTS

It took a good many years to get together a combination of pain subduing and swelling reducing agents declared to be the one remedy that almost instantly penetrates through skin and flesh and starts right in to make swollen, inflamed, creaky, pain racked joints as good as new.

They call this new and wonderful preparation "Joint-Ease" because the medical man who turned the trick, worked for years to perfect some low-priced remedy that would really benefit the millions of people who have one or more joints that need helpful attention.

So "Joint-Ease" is prepared only for people who have a swollen, painful, creaky, distorted or stiff joint, whether it be in knee, elbow, shoulder, ankle, neck or finger and whether it is caused by rheumatism or something else.

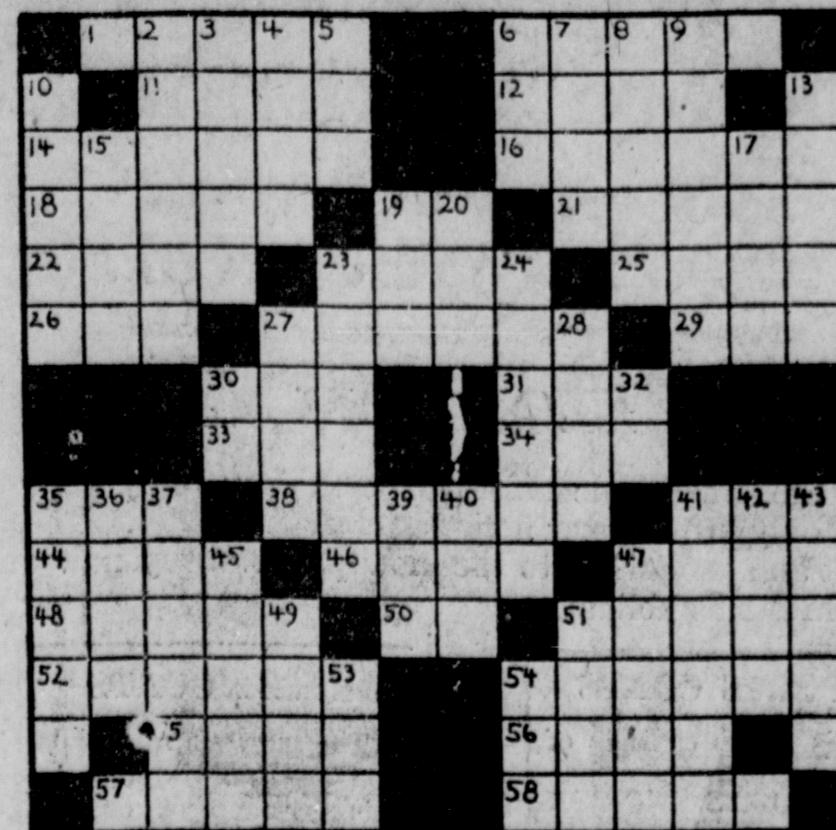
Of course, it can't help but quickly put an end to such superficial ailments as lumbago, neuralgia, neuritis, aching muscles, stitch in the side, crick in the neck or sore feet because of its penetrating action, but what it is really recommended for is joint ailments of any nature whatever.

Ask for a tube of "Joint-Ease." You can use it several times in one evening for quick results, because it goes right through the skin with only a few seconds rubbing. It surely is a swift penetrator and when it gets under the skin, it starts right in to clean up all joint trouble.

Sohn's Drug Store dispenses it daily for about 60 cents a tube, as do first class druggists everywhere.

Always remember, when Joint-Ease gets in joint agony gets out—quick—Adv.

CROSS-WORD PUZZLE



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SUGGESTIONS FOR SOLVING CROSS-WORD PUZZLES

Start out by filling in the words of which you feel reasonably sure. These will give you a clue to other words crossing them, and they in turn to still others. A letter belongs in each white space, words starting at the numbered squares and running either horizontally or vertically or both.

HORIZONTAL

- 1—Grows the sea
- 6—The cry of a sheep
- 11—Anger
- 12—to deserve
- 14—Deprived of
- 16—A root-eating Indian
- 18—Egg-shaped objects
- 19—A parent
- 21—To dismiss an indictment
- 22—Wagers
- 23—A cry of distress
- 25—To try out
- 26—Before
- 27—A vegetable
- 29—To perceive with the eye
- 30—Secured by sores
- 31—Sound made by a bird
- 32—A tree
- 34—A vessel
- 35—A trough with handle
- 38—To read
- 41—A cry for help
- 44—A place for baking
- 46—Oxidized iron
- 47—A liquid measure
- 48—A bar of metal
- 50—To exist
- 51—A stupid person
- 52—Forced
- 54—To gather up
- 55—To grant
- 56—To impel
- 57—Part of a poem
- 58—Requirements

VERTICAL

- 2—Decorative
- 3—Parts of a railroad track
- 4—Long periods of time
- 5—Conducted
- 6—Article of furniture
- 7—Placed
- 8—Fungus of rye
- 9—Corners
- 10—Sun-dried brick
- 13—Island in Mediterranean
- 15—Always
- 17—Otherwise
- 19—To injure
- 20—An element
- 23—Small flat perforated disk
- 24—An insect
- 27—A sharp rigid point
- 28—Separated by violence
- 30—Eastern state (abbr.)
- 32—A preposition
- 35—Secures
- 36—Above
- 37—A contrivance
- 39—To occur
- 40—To utilize
- 41—Committed wrongs
- 42—Singly
- 43—Harsh
- 45—At no time
- 47—To cleanse
- 49—Ultra-radicals
- 51—To venture
- 53—Born (French)
- 54—A weapon

WITH AMAZING SPEED IT STOPS THAT TOUGH HANG ON COUGH THAT RACKS YOUR WHOLE BODY

For simple coughs any simple sweet, sugary cough syrup will probably do. But when you want to throw out of your system one of those old timers, that simply won't be conquered, but lingers on and on causing sleepless nights and days of torment, then you've just got to have a real cough medicine.

Then you must ask your druggist for a bottle of Bronchuline Emulsion for the harder and tougher and tighter they come the more joy Bronchuline gets in knocking them out.

Bronchuline isn't a cheap cough conqueror, mind you, for first raters are never cheap. But if you are one of the unlucky ones that a persistent, health destroying cough is pushing towards the grave, get a bottle today.

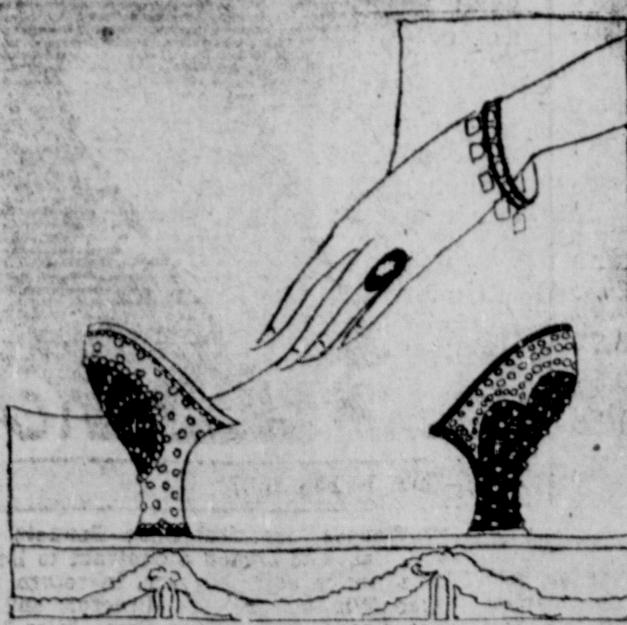
MODISH MITZI—Vanities To Make Us Vain

By Jay V. Jay



It is said that women are vain. But why not? Consider all the vanities there are to encourage her. Pretty Polly, for instance. The poor child doesn't know whether to choose the vanity in her right hand which is of silver and enamel and has a lipstick on a silver chain, or the other which is of black moire.

There is no use in keeping your identity a secret. Mitzi never could. That's why she wears her initials around her neck in a fab-like pendant. Technically it is called a chataigne. The initials are done in cut steel on black onyx.



With rings on her fingers, silk hose on her toes—and rhinestones on her heels—that's the modern young woman. Sometimes her heels are jeweled in red or green stones to match the gown. The bracelet Mitzi wears has little colored stones dangling from it.

Mitzi never looked a better sport in her sport clothes. The sport hat she wears here has a high crown. The buckle on it shows the emblems of her sporty triumphs. Vain glory. No, only another vanity. And who would deprive a woman of vanities when she carries them on her hat and not in her heart?

Here's Yesterday's Puzzle Solution



CARS DAMAGED

A Ford touring car driven by C. A. Mendenhall, this city, collided with an Oldsmobile touring car driven by Millard M. Burrell, this city, on the Clifton Road, late Sunday evening bending a fender and slightly caving in the side of Burrell's machine. The Ford was not damaged and neither driver was injured. The machines were passing.

FOLEY PILLS REACHED THE SORE SPOT

Mrs. Ellen Reighard, South Fork, Pa., writes: "I had been suffering with my kidneys and nothing seemed to touch the aching spot until I procured FOLEY PILLS, with wonderful results." FOLEY PILLS, a diuretic stimulant for the kidneys, gently and thoroughly flush and cleanse the kidneys and help to eliminate poisonous waste matter. Try a bottle today and you will be well pleased with the relief obtained. The use of FOLEY PILLS increases kidney activity. Sold Everywhere.—Adv.

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Best Of All MOUTH WASHES

Half Gallon, 60 Cents

Get a 60 cent bottle of Kojene; make one-half gallon of delightful, refreshing mouth wash and save money.

Kojene is seventy-five times as powerful as an antiseptic as the popular ordinary kinds yet it is so free from any poison that you can drink it without harm. Sayre and Hemphill sells dozens of bottles to wise people every week as do progressive drugists the country over. You don't have to make a half gallon all at once unless you want to for one half tea-spoonful added to water makes a half tumblerful.—Adv.

Millinery Christmas SPECIALS

Smart Winter Hats for Women and Children
Greatly Reduced

New Effect in Satin and Felt Just Received

GIFT SUGGESTION

Daisy Hat Bag, made of Patent Leather Material, with attractive cretonne—extra pockets—sizes 16, 18, 20 inches.

SCARFS

Silk Lace Scarf comes in Sand, Orchid, Coral, Powder Blue and Black

Osterly Millinery

31 Green St., Xenia, Ohio

Sherlock Jr.

When Buster turns detective your frowns turn to smiles

Also

The Chase

A Two Reel Thriller

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

Harold Bell Wright's powerful novel

"WHEN A MAN'S A MAN"

A great powerful drama of a man who had to prove his birthright!

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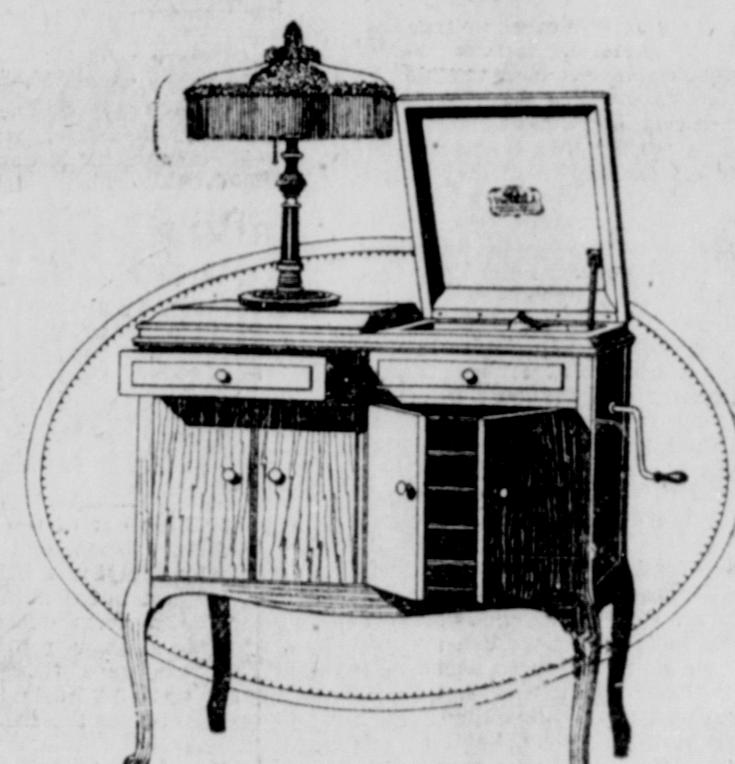
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WHAT IS SUCCESS?

By ROGER W. BABSON

World-Famous Statistician and Business Authority

XI.—DEVELOPING SUCCESS QUALITIES

One is grounded religiously in the right kind of people, and unable to get on, what remedy? The answer to this question is back again to those six intangible qualities, namely, Integrity, Intelligence, Initiative, interest in one's work. If a amount of material prosperity is necessary to happiness, then a certain amount of these tangible qualities is necessary to secure a requisite of prosperity. Our consciences, health, wives, occupations, and friends are largely of our making, but for the development of the six intangible qualities we are dependent upon prayer, the contact of ourselves with God.

We will assume that a lack of integrity is one of our weaknesses, previously suggested, many persons are naturally honest and will need to develop some other six qualities rather than the "integrity" factor.

DEVELOPING INTEGRITY

Integrity may be inherited or acquired. Both integrity and dishonesty largely matters of habit. The of dishonesty is often formed in life through fear of ridicule, are not dishonest through or determination. People who are physically or mentally are liable to fall into dishonesty.

People who are naturally physically and mentally are independent of the opinions of others and hence are honest. It is easier for those naturally strong and in good health to be honest.

The way in which a man is treated by its parents and the boy receives from his father, do much to determine the man that integrity is largely a and can be acquired or developed.

One should surely be remembered, that each of us must be honest or dishonest. There is no ground.

We are daily acquiring either habits of honesty or of dishonesty. Considering the importance which integrity bears to success, we all should strive to honest habits. What can one do to develop greater integrity? There is only one sure way that is through prayer. Before entering a conversation—before making a statement, before writing a repeat this silent prayer!

God, I want to be honest. Make me right now. Give me courage to tell the absolute truth—know the truth is best for every one end."

This temptation to "spread out" can be met and conquered only through Prayer. Constant and fervent prayer is the only antidote for this poison; it is the only way successfully to overcome it. "Lead us not into that tempting speculation, but deliver us from going into that new enterprise," should be the prayer of many men. If this is our prayer, we should keep away from all people who have new propositions to offer and avoid "propositions" as one would avoid smallpox or drugs.

INTELLIGENCE AND INTEREST

This same reasoning applies to the remaining qualities—intelligence, interest in one's work and a general sympathy for and interest in others. Teachers and business men are correct in saying that these six qualities cannot be taught in books. They are spiritual qualities, and as such must become a part of our lives and experiences. As one cannot measure electricity with a quart measure, so one cannot estimate or teach spiritual qualities by mathematical formulas. The great mistake of many writers on success has been their failure to recognize the close relationship between success and spiritual development.

(1) Success is true happiness. Success and happiness are spiritual rather than material. Hence, success can be lost or won, but cannot be bought or sold like a commodity; neither can it be weighed or measured. The sooner this fact is understood by all classes—rich and poor—the better of the world will be.

(2) A certain amount of material prosperity is necessary to happiness under modern conditions. This type of success varies, however, with the age and the community in which one lives. An excess of material prosperity is a detriment rather than a help. So long as the acquiring of material prosperity adds one in developing spiritually, so long do these material things serve as an aid; but when they begin to retard spiritual growth, then they are detrimental to true success.

(3) The fundamental law of success and happiness is: For every action there is an equal and opposite reaction. This means that we can succeed only as we help others to succeed. It means that our own characters, health and prosperity are dependent upon having others righteous, healthy, and prosperous. It means that we all reap what we sow.

(4) The structure which we call success.

Says His Prescription Has Powerful Influence Over Rheumatism

RED PEPPER HEAT QUICKEST RELIEF FOR RHEUMATISM

Red Pepper Rub takes the "ouch" from sore, stiff, aching joints. It cannot hurt you, and it certainly stops that old rheumatism torture at once.

He finally decided, after years of ceaseless study, that no one can be free from rheumatism until the accumulated acid deposits were dissolved in the joints and muscles and expelled from the body.

With this idea in mind he consulted physicians and experimented. Finally compounded his prescription quickly and completely banished every sign and symptom of rheumatism from his system.

He freely gave his discovery, which he had learned, to others who took it, with many misgivings, calling it a "velvet success." After years of urging he decided to let sufferers everywhere know about his discovery through the newspapers. He has therefore started a chain of agencies where to dispense Alloherb to the understanding that if the first pint bottle does not show the way to complete recovery he will gladly return your money without comment.

Ask any good druggist for a jar of Rowles Red Pepper Rub. Be sure to get the genuine, with the name Rowles on each package.—Adv.

BLE COUGH REMEDY

Experiment with unknown remedies, a catarrh cold or when you are not like to work? There is help for such a man and a prayer. A man who is in the four basic groups for fitted can always acquire work through prayer.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND GUMDROUNDS

It is a safe and remedy for the relief of colds, hoarseness. Equally for young and old. Mrs. J. Bridgeton, N. J. states:

FOLEY'S HONEY AND GUMDROUNDS for my cold and

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SOHN'S DRUG STORE

is my appointed agent in your city. If you live out of town I'll gladly send you free particulars.

Adv.

Prayer is the great economic force which will cause men to be industrial. It is the only force which will re-create that pleasure in doing things; that joy in production; that love for industry. In the same way initiative and courage can be developed through prayer.

ARE YOU DOING TOO MUCH?

With every asset there follows a responsibility; with every action there is a reaction. Men of genius are proverbially weak in certain ways. Men with energy and vision have far greater temptations than those who have not this energy and vision. It is only natural that those who are the most brilliant, should be tempted to spread out too much and become involved in too many undertakings. The able business man sees so many opportunities wherever he goes and whatever he does that it is very difficult for him to refrain from seizing one now and then. He sees possibilities in almost every person whom he meets. It is largely his ability to see these opportunities that make him a successful business man. However every man has only a limited amount of time and energy. If he undertakes too much he is apt to overload and fall down. Many men of integrity, industry, and initiative, fall down because they do not concentrate on one task and stick to that one task. They are like a boy carrying many bundles—one more than he can possibly hold. He is always dropping one, and as he picks that up he drops another. This brings us to an illustration in Intensity.

DEVELOPING INTENSITY

The most successful business men are those who concentrate on producing, manufacturing, or selling only one product; men who merchandise but do not manufacture, or men who manufacture and let some one else merchandise are the most successful. As we spread out, we become thinner and thinner until our efforts in any one direction are of little avail. So long as all goes well, a man can swing many different things; but when one or more of them goes wrong, or should the man himself become ill, then comes trouble. Many failures of brilliant men are due to the fact that they were ill when something went wrong, or something went wrong because they were ill. Hence Intensity of Concentration is most surely one of the necessary qualities for success. It is a quality which should be carefully watched by both young and old.

The young man can get a successful start only by concentrating all of his time, thought, and energy on one line of business, and by knowing that business thoroughly.

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His Walk in Life

Worried Mother—I'm sure I don't know what we'll ever do with Harold when he grows up. John. Did you ever see such impossibly long legs?

"Don't worry, my dear. Perhaps we can let him out to realtors to prove that their houses are within easy walking distance of the station."

Beauty

A Gleamy Mass of Hair

35c "Danderine" does Wonders for Any Girl's Hair



Girls! Try this! When combing and dressing your hair, just moisten your hair brush with a little "Danderine" and brush it through your hair. The effect is startling! You can do your hair up immediately and it will appear twice as thick and heavy—a mass of gleamy hair, sparkling with life and possessing that incomparable softness, freshness and luxuriance.

While beautifying the hair "Danderine" is also toning and stimulating each single hair to grow thick, long and strong. Hair stops falling out and dandruff disappears. Get a bottle of delightful, refreshing "Danderine" at any drug or toilet counter and just see how healthy and youthful your hair becomes.—Adv.

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Open Legs, Ulcers, Enlarged Veins, Goiter, Eczema healed while you work. Write for Book "How to Heal Sore Legs at Home." Describe your case.

A. C. LIEPE, 1308 Green Bay Ave., Milwaukee, Wisc.

ITCHING ECZEMA DRIED RIGHT UP WITH SULPHUR

Any breaking out of the skin, even fiery, itching eczema, can be quickly overcome by applying a little Menthosulphur, says a noted skin specialist. Because of its germ destroying properties, this sulphur preparation instantly brings ease from skin irritation, soothes and heals the eczema right up and leaves the skin clear and smooth.

It seldom fails to relieve the torment and disfigurement. Sufferers from skin trouble should get a little jar of Rowles Menthosulphur from any good druggist and use it like a cold cream.—Adv.

YOUNG IN THE WRONG JOB?

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It is a safe and remedy for the relief of colds, hoarseness. Equally for young and old. Mrs. J. Bridgeton, N. J. states:

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Blasting America's Longest R.R. Tunnel through Continental Divide

Modern Engineering Methods and Explosives Make Possible This Great Construction Feat—Will Open New Empire Rich In Coal and Minerals.

Interesting Facts on Greatest Railroad Tunnel in America

It will pierce the Continental Divide.

Estimated time for building, three years.

Will open up great new empire in West, with coal and mineral deposits.

Will save 23 miles in railroad line.

Will save 2,406 feet in elevation.

Main tunnel will be 24 by 16 feet and 6.11 miles long.

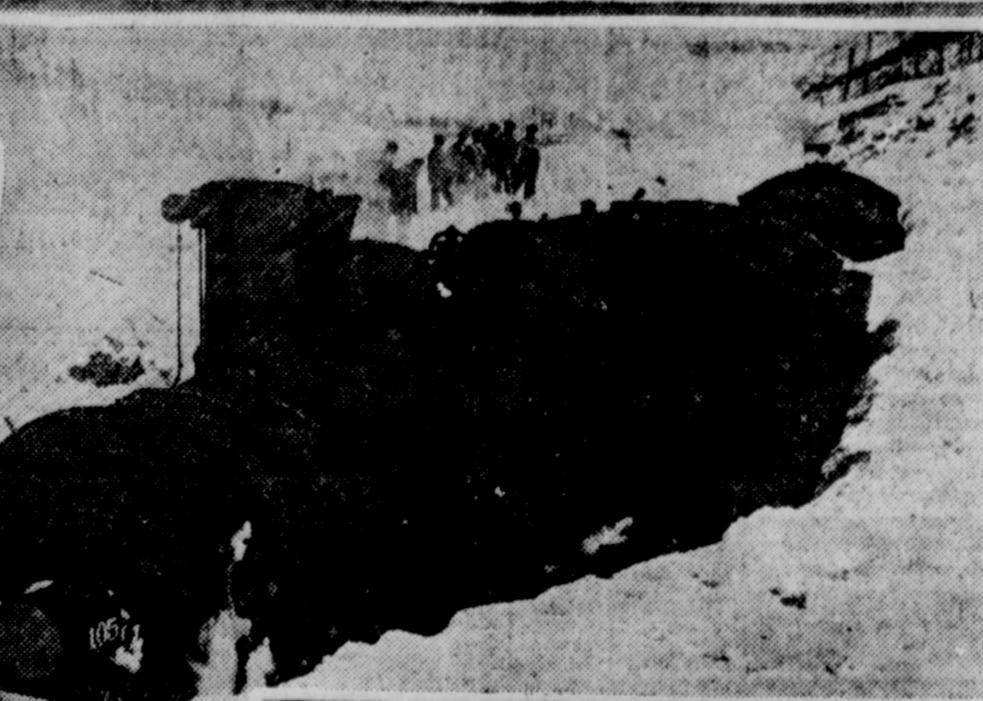
Pioneer tunnel, to aid construction, and under act is to bring water to Denver from West Portal, will be 8 by 8 feet.

Being built under special act of Colorado Legislature by the Moffat Tunnel Commissioners for the Moffat Tunnel Improvement District.

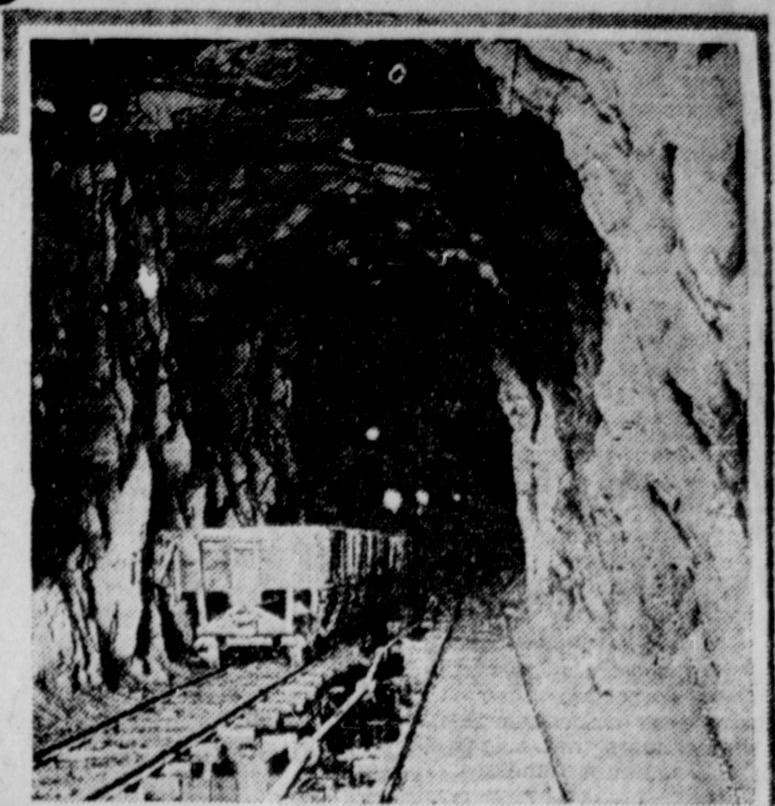
Bond issue, \$6,720,000.



To left—East portal approach to shops.

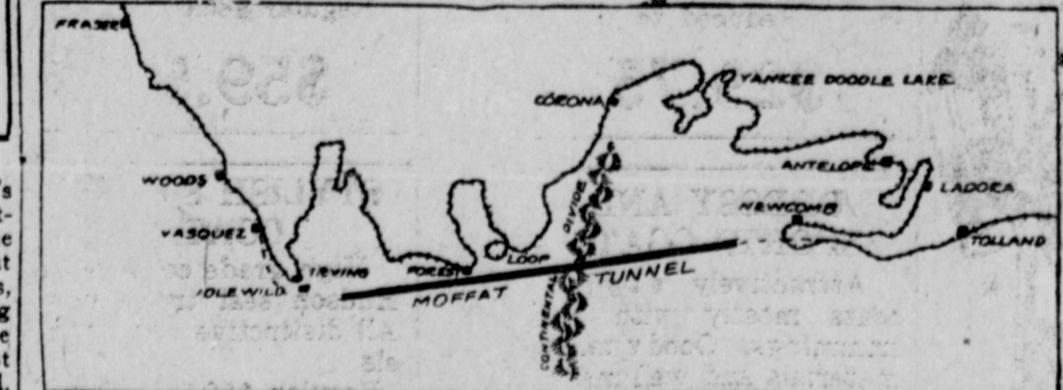


To right—R.R. Tunnel East Portal.



will be in the next three years, will be the greatest of all tunnels devoted to railroad use in America. The most modern of tools and equipment are being used by Hitchcock and Tinkler, Inc., the contractors, including the most effective and powerful of modern explosives. This is the famous gelatine dynamite, which has been brought to such a great degree of efficiency during the last few years. It can do its work splendidly in damp, wet places and

To right—Bucking Snow on Continental Divide—The new tunnel will eliminate this—



THE Continental Divide, nature's greatest obstacle to the westward progress of man in the United States is being pierced at last. Engineers, explosives experts, and workmen are now busy driving a tunnel through the formidable range of the Rocky Mountains west of Denver which, when completed, will save 23 miles in railroad line and make possible a saving in elevation of 2,406 feet, and with the building of the Dotsero Cut-off will make a saving in distance from Denver to Salt Lake of 173 miles.

The work is known as the Moffat Tunnel and is to be the greatest railroad tunnel in the Western Hemisphere, will burrow under James Peak west of Denver, Colorado, and make it unnecessary to climb one of the worst of the high passes of this part of the Rocky Mountains. It will open a great new empire in Northwestern Colorado, with its almost unlimited mineral wealth, its oil shale beds and its coal deposits, which are estimated to be large enough to keep the United States steam power for approximately 50 years.

The Moffat Tunnel, when it is completed, which it is estimated,

them in record breaking time. R. H. Keays, Chief Engineer of the Moffat Tunnel Commission was formerly chief engineer in charge of the Shandaken Tunnel work in New York. Modern dynamite is so powerful and has been brought to such efficient working qualities that there are apparently no obstacles in nature which it cannot overcome.

Hitchcock & Tinkler, Inc., Contractors, include F. C. Hitchcock of New York, who has international experience in contracting work of all kinds, and C. C. Tinkler, the contractor who built sections of the eighteen mile Hetch-Hetchy Tunnel for the City of San Francisco. Thus the Moffat Tunnel Engineers and Contractors combine experiences from the building of the two latest and largest tunnel projects. The main transportation tunnel at

To right—Compressed air shovel in East Portal R.R. tunnel. Note car lifter to save switching

Moffat will be twenty-four by sixteen feet. At the same time a pioneer tunnel eight feet square will be built parallel to the main tunnel and seventy-five feet from it. This pioneer tunnel by means of cross cuts will be used for carrying compressed air, power and light and materials to the workmen in the main

tunnel. This plan enables much faster headway to be made. Work is now going rapidly at both ends of the tunnel. At each portal miniature cities have sprung up with their mess halls, hospitals, bunk houses and recreation centers. Materials and machinery of all kinds are being piled up and there is a

general air of bustle and activity which speaks well for the speed

which the work is being pushed forward.

The elevation of the eastern portal is 9,198 feet and that of the western portal 9,085 feet. The elevation of the tunnel peak will be 9,242 feet.

The enormous significance which

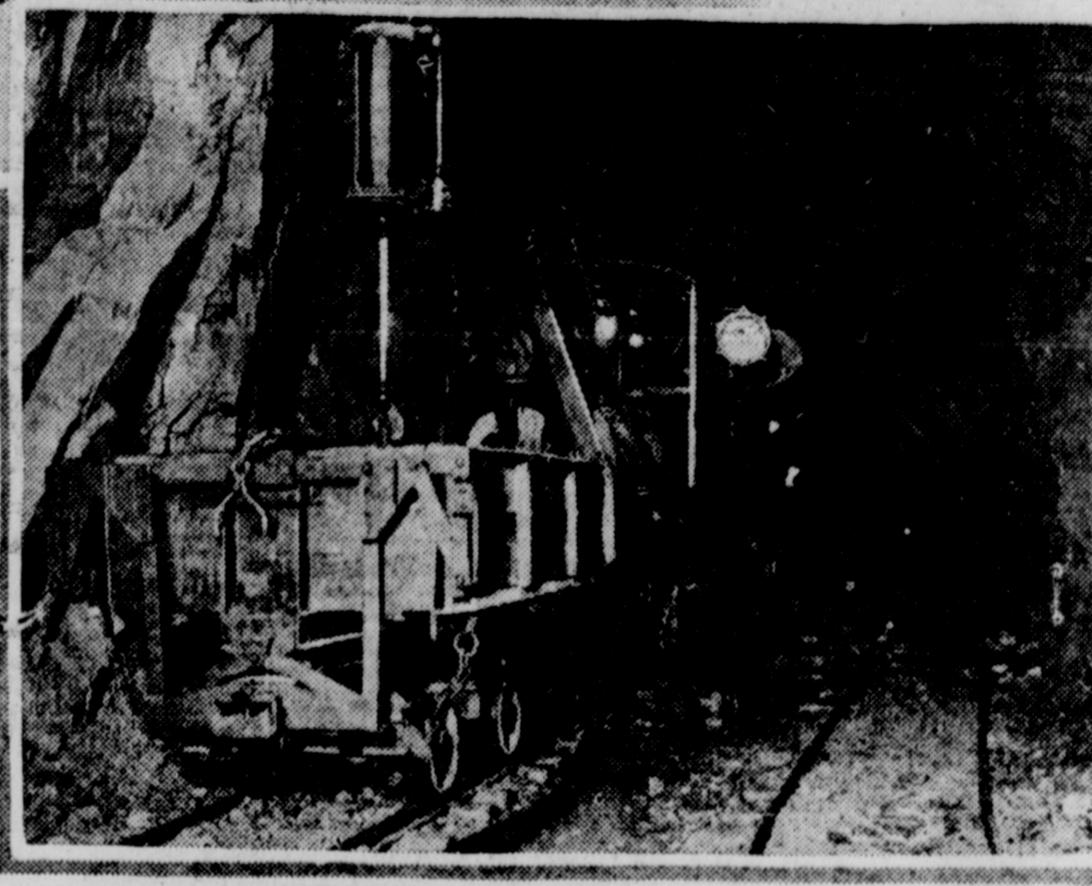
the Moffat Tunnel will have to the transportation facilities of the country can be understood when it is remembered that by means of this piercing of the Continental Divide, it will be possible to save thousands of train hours every year between the East and West. The railroad which now strikes West from Denver and climbs the Rockies takes the passengers through one of the most picturesque and beautiful sections of mountain scenery to be found anywhere, but in the winter its right of way is blocked by snow and ice to such an extent as to seriously hamper transportation.

Avoids Ice and Snow

At the summit of its climb everything possible has been done with the aid of snow sheds which stretch along for nearly two miles to keep an open road, yet, in spite of all efforts, traffic has been tied up during bad seasons for days and sometimes weeks. When traffic is paralyzed in this manner, needed commodities such as coal and other products cannot get through and domestic and industrial discomfort results.

The Moffat Tunnel is being constructed under the authority of the Moffat Tunnel Act passed by the Legislature of Colorado.

The five Tunnel Commissioners appointed by the governor under the authority of the law authorizing the project are W. B. Robinson, President, W. N. W. Blayne, and Charles MacAllister of Denver; Charles Wheeler of Yampa, and Charles H. Leckenby of Steamboat Springs, Colorado.



CHARTERS JEWELRY STORE IS COUNTY'S OLDEST BUSINESS

Pointing out that this year is the seventieth anniversary of the Charter's jewelry business which was established in 1854 by his father George Charters at the location now occupied by the Buck and Son Meat Market, on South Detroit Street, J. Thorb Charters, local jeweler, declares his is the oldest business in the county.

George Charters occupied the first site on South Detroit Street for several years and later moved north to a new location where the Workingman's Store is now located, and remained at this site until 1878. In that time the business was again moved, that was known as the Her-Room on East Main Street, now owned by Henry Binder and located square east of the present location. Several years later the business was moved to the present location.

J. Thorb Charters, was actively associated in business with his father for thirty years and as sole owner and proprietor since 1910, had also active management for the past twenty years.

Plans were changed and improvements made during that time, according to Mr. Charters to keep abreast of the times, and as is always the case the business revolved with the rest of the world.

The history of the Charter's family is a history of watchmakers and jewelers. Six members of the family in the last three generations, a grandfather, John Charters, and three sons David, George and John, and a son of David, Anson Charters, beside Thorb were all jewelers by trade.

Anson Charters is also credited with the distinction of being the inventor of the Columbus clock, a gigantic time-piece which was placed on exhibition throughout the country.

RADIO PROGRAM

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 11

WCAE—Pittsburgh, (462) 6:30 p.m., dinner concert; 7:30, Uncle Kay bee; 7:45, special feature; 8:30, concert.

WEAO—Columbus, (294), 8 p.m., chimes; talk; 8:15, reading.

WHR—Cleveland, (283), 6 p.m., orchestra, sports, news; 8, music.

WJAX—Cleveland, (390), 7 p.m., orchestra.

WLW—Cincinnati, (423) 6 p.m., Santa Claus hour; 10, orchestra; 10:30, trio; 11, solos; 11:15, concert.

WQX—Chicago, (448), 7-8, concert; 10:2, music.

WSAI—Cincinnati, (309), 10 p.m., sketch and music; 10:45, songs.

WTAM—Cleveland, (390), 6 p.m., orchestra.

Draw Straws

Sublette, Kan.—In the recent county primary the race for the Republican nomination resulted in a triple tie, the three candidates receiving the same number of votes. After discussing the matter from every angle it was decided to draw straws for the coveted honor. A large crowd was present to see Oscar Yards draw the long straw and to be proclaimed the nominee for the place.

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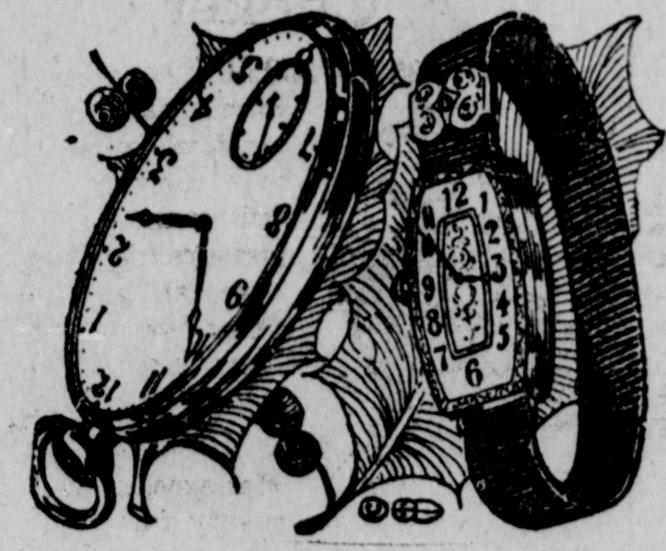
Charters Jewelry Store 70th Anniversary

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In celebration of our seventieth business anniversary, we are offering jewelry values that will be of particular interest at this Christmas shopping season. For seventy years this firm has furnished the people of this locality with high grade merchandise and the dependability and durability of every article here has been demonstrated by years of service.



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Gents' Watches in the newest designs. Prices ranging from \$8 to \$50. Also Gents' Wrist Watches.

Clocks

Most complete line of Mahogany Chimes and Cathedral Gongs. Seth Thomas and other makes. Prices \$12 to \$80.

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Mounted and unmounted.

Rings

Ladies' fancy White Gold Set Rings. Gents' sets, Signets and Emblem Rings.

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Hollow Ware, Plain, Hammered and Embossed.

Knives and Forks, Spoons, Salad Forks and many other individual pieces in both Sterling and Plated.

Glass

Entire line of Glass at a marked reduction.

Many other articles too numerous to mention may be seen at

J. THORB CHARTERS

Established in 1854

Dependable Jewelry

Successor to Geo. Charters

new American Invention to revive U.S. shipping on the 7 seas

the American flag once more to be a familiar sight on every ocean?

Chairman O'Connor, of the U. S. Shipping Board, believes there is at least a chance that it will. Congress, which has given the Board authority, on the recommendation of these men, to spend up to \$75,000,000, if necessary, in carrying out their plans.

The ships over which the flag will fly, however, when the Shipping Board's program is completed, will be very different from those famous craft of the older American merchant marine. Instead of lofty masts and tapering square, stubby cargo derricks. Instead of acres of snowy cotton duck, throbbing machinery below decks. This very day, in fact, in a workshop in Buffalo, a giant engine is spinning in a thirty-day endurance test, expected to prove its fitness to provide the last touch needed for the success of the Government's plan, by giving American ships a motive power superior to all rivals. To that engine, the product of the technical staff of the Worthington Pump and Machinery Corporation, the eyes of the Shipping Board's experts, and of American Shipping men generally, are turned in hope and expectation.

World Commerce the Prize

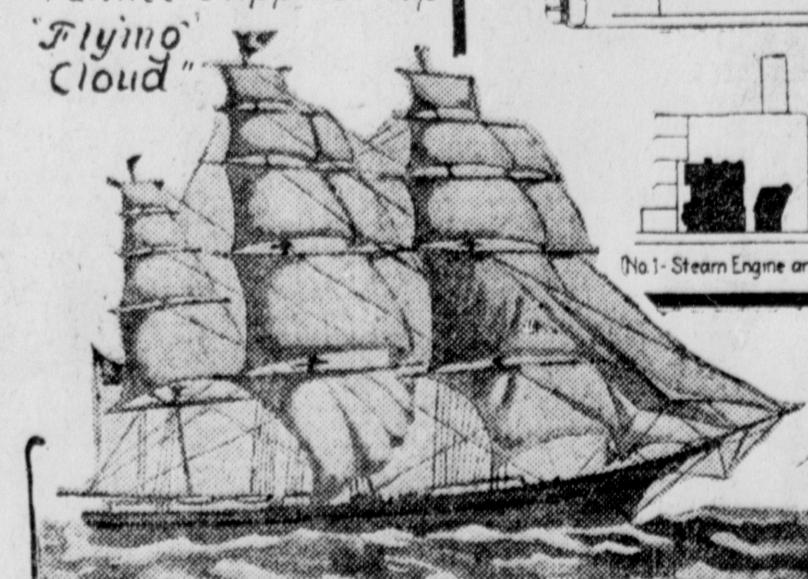
The prize is the commerce of the world. In those golden days of the forties and early fifties when the swift clipper ships raced across the seas, there were handsome business rewards for the daring seafarers on. Cargoes for export went to the ships whose records guaranteed swiftest delivery.

Filmy silks, rich brocades, teas and spices from the Far East—almost any freight demanded was paid to the first ship home with her cargo. So the captains crowded on sail and drove through tempest and fair weather to the limit of endurance of men, rope, canvas and stout hull.

Acres of gleaming white sail, flashing in the sunshine, ships heeled over until lee rails dripped under, urged on to victory by the finest and most intrepid seamen ever born—it was a glorious age for America, when no vessels in the world could equal ours. The "Flying Cloud," whose record of eighty-nine days around the Horn, from Sandy Hook to the Golden Gate, on two successive passages, still stands unapproached by any sailing vessel—the "Dreadnaught," that under Captain Samuel Samuels swept across the Atlantic in twelve days, from Sandy Hook to Cape Clear—such were the ships of those romantic days.

And then this blaze of glory that inspired artists and writers to pour out their souls in tributes to our wonderful clippers and the men who sailed them, flickered down to a dull glow, and went out. Dingy, clumsy coal-burning craft, belching clouds of sooty smoke, wiped the clippers off the seas.

Famous Yankee Clipper Ship "Flying Cloud"



Ugly tubs they were, but they were more efficient.

America Turned From the Sea

And then, with the amazingly swift development of agriculture and manufacture, we suddenly seemed no longer to have time to be a maritime nation. The few men whose visions saw the dangers that threatened a country dependent on foreign ships to carry its commerce, seldom found listeners. It was said that since Europe could carry our overseas trade more cheaply, it was good business to let her have it.

Then the war came, and the East, with its cargoes of manufactures—the South, with its cargoes of cotton—the Middle West, its terminals choked with grain—the Far West, with its acres of lumber, all alike made the unpleasant discovery that the cheap and efficient German tramps had been swept from the ocean; that under Captain Samuel Samuels swept across the Atlantic in twelve days, from Sandy Hook to Cape Clear—such were the ships of those romantic days.

Shipping Board officials point out, today, that the fervor and sacrifice of the war days of 1917 and 1918 has tended to obscure the country's memory of the trying days of 1915 and 1916, when America, still neutral, was left in an ex-

tremely difficult situation, and the farmers of the West and cotton planters of the South, in particular, faced real suffering, as severe as the distress of the past two years, almost entirely because there was no American merchant marine worth mentioning to take their products to market under the protection of the American flag. If the country will think less of the American war achievement, great as it was, they say, and more of the problems of the neutral period, a better realization will be attained of the present day need of an American merchant marine.

War Program Justified

Neither the Democratic nor the Republican administrations have ever regarded the 1500 steel ships of the Emergency Fleet program otherwise than as examples of this country's ability to organize and execute a big job quickly. Those ships, every successive Chairman of the Shipping Board has declared, purely as a war measure were worth their cost. The problem now, the Board's experts say, is to make them useful to whatever extent is economically possible.

America, according to the Department of Commerce, is doing seventeen per cent of the world's total business. We are exporting over four billions of dollars' worth of domestic goods every year; half of it manufactured goods.

The United States, the Department

of Commerce points out, is in the position of a merchant whose business has undergone a great expansion in territory, and who needs improved delivery service.

Everyone connected with the problem—former Chairmen Hurley, Benson and Lasker, and present Chairman O'Connor, of the Shipping Board; Secretary of Commerce Hoover; and such private but nationally known shipping experts as President Franklin of the International Mercantile Marine Company, President Farrell of the U. S. Steel Corporation, and others who have devoted years of study to the subject—disclaim any desire on the part of America to monopolize even its own carrying trade. It is the consensus of opinion of these experts that the nation should carry about fifty per cent of its foreign trade, in both directions, under its own flag.

What the Ships Must Do

But to do this, as these experts have testified in hearings before Congressional committees, American ships must be able to compete on even or better than even terms, from the point of view of cheapness and efficiency, with European and Japanese ships whose operating expenses, for various reasons, have in the past always been lower than those of American ships. It is a fundamental law, they say, of ocean shipping, that cargoes seek the lowest level of freight rates, and only the ships that can make a profit at that lowest level, can survive in the fierce competition of the ocean carrying trade.

Some of the ablest engineers in America have been convinced, in the hard times of the past four years they have prospered. The Shipping Board's investigators found that European motorships in many cases were showing profits on cargoes that would have meant heavy loss to steamships, because the motorship's fuel bill is only about one-third that of a steamer.

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The new American ship will be a motorship. That is, the steam machinery in the Emergency Fleet vessels, the Shipping Board plans, will be replaced by Diesel engines or motors, working on somewhat the same principle as the automobile engine, but using the cheapest grade of heavy oil, and in many respects the most efficient and economical kind of power machinery yet invented.

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It is now confidently believed by such of these men as have inspected the new engine, now undergo-

ing tests, as already stated, at the Worthington plant in Buffalo, that it meets these expectations in every way. It was produced after long and careful research and experimental work, by the Worthington technical staff headed by O. H. Jorgenson, a Diesel engineer of international reputation. It goes without saying that it is an American invention all through, protected by American patents. Dr. C. E. Lucke, Professor of Mechanical Engineering at Columbia University, characterizes it as "an extraordinary contribution to the mechanics of transportation."

The secret of the success of the new engine is said to be the fact that it is double-acting—that is, power is applied on both sides of its pistons, instead of only on one side as in earlier types of Diesel engines. This simple change—simple only in theory, however—means that the power of the engine is very nearly doubled, with no increase in its size, or putting it the other way, only a little more than half as large and heavy an engine is needed to furnish the required power to the ship. It also means that the engine can be started, stopped and reversed much more readily and surely than can the single-acting European types of engine. This, in a ship, is of very great importance.

No Lack of Fuel

An engine of this type will never lack fuel. It can burn the very cheapest residues of petroleum distillation—the stuff that is left over from the refining process that furnishes gasoline for motorcars. Even if in some remote future the world's petroleum supply should be exhausted, Dr. Lucke predicts that the engine will still provide the cheapest and most efficient power, using tar oil distilled from our millions of tons of bituminous coal, in the process that gives medicines and dyes on one hand, and tar and coke on the other.



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Men's Outing Night Robes \$1.50

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POLICE HEAD WARNS AGAINST FORGERS

Police Chief M. E. Graham issued a warning to all local merchants Wednesday to inspect all checks carefully, owing to the fact that check workers are taking advantage of the holiday rush in nearby cities to flood the cities with forgeries.

Chief Graham was notified of the activities of one forger Saturday who passed a bad check for \$22.50, and issued the warning, so that such occurrences in the future may be avoided.

It was pointed out that the merchants taking the check of the last endorser on it is the loser.

Color Cut-Outs

A CHRISTMAS CAROL

Adapted for boys and girls from the famous story by Charles Dickens.



IV. THE FIRST SPIRIT
(Drawing: Christmas Past)
Very soon Scrooge got into bed and went sound asleep. After a while he

heard the clock strike twelve. He jumped up and looked out of the window. It was dark; he had slept twenty-four hours and the first Spirit was due to visit him in an hour. Scrooge determined to wait up for the visitor. This was sensible, since he could no more sleep than go to heaven. The hour struck ONE.

A strange figure was at Scrooge's side, and for the fiftieth time he trembled.

"Who are you?" he finally managed to ask.

"I am the Spirit of Christmas Past, your Past. Touch my cloak and follow me." Scrooge wanted to argue the point, but was unable to and grasped the cloak. The two started on a journey, backward over the years. Soon, tears welled up in the old man's eyes.

"What caused the tears? Tomorrow's scene will tell."

NEW LIBERTY

The New Liberty Welfare Association had its annual election Tuesday evening, and the following members were elected officers for the following year: Andrew Herbert, president; Lawrence Greene, vice-president; Frank Zink, secretary; Karl Zink, treasurer.

The following men were taken in the New Liberty Welfare Association as members: George Ross, David Durnbaugh, John Baker.

The members of the New Liberty Welfare Association had a social gathering at their hall Tuesday evening.

The evening was spent with dancing and followed with a supper.

Mr. Otto Zink was greatly surprised

Sunday evening when a few of his friends came in as a birthday surprise. The evening was spent with talks and followed with a supper.

Mr. and Mrs. William Forney, Jr., returned from France and are making their home with his father, William Forney, Sr.

Mr. Frank Nussman is visiting his daughter at Coldwater, O.

Mr. Torance Forney is preparing to leave for Florida.

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GIFT SUGGESTIONS

Our preparations for Christmas are now complete and it is a pleasure to show perplexed gift seekers how easy it is to solve the question of "what to give" and "where to buy." We have enumerated a few suggestions in the lists below, tho a visit through the store is, of course, the easiest and most satisfactory way of solving the yearly gift problem.

TOWEL SETS
\$1.00

HANDKERCHIEFS
5c to 98c

SILK HOSIERY
48c to \$1.75

SILK SOCKS
50c

BOUDOIR CAPS
24c to \$1.00

NECKTIES
50c

STATIONERY
25c and 50c

FANCY APRONS
50c

VANITY CASES
25c to \$1.39

POCKET BOOKS
69c to \$3.50

BEADED BAGS
\$1.45 to \$3.50

BABY SETS
\$2.75 to \$5.00

SILK UMBRELLAS
\$4.25

CENTER PIECES
48c

BABY BLANKETS
98c to \$2.25

DOLLS
25c to \$2.95

COATS

\$15 Values

A special group of coats, each one an extra good value, reduced to one low price. In this group will be found all-wool fabrics in the most desirable shades of tans and browns. Some have fur collars; others are self trimmed. Truly a remarkable group.

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DRESSES

\$5.95 Values

A group of dresses in which you will undoubtedly find just the one you wanted for the holidays. The materials are of Miami Flannels and Novelty Dress Fabrics, in checks, plaids and pin stripes. Many colors and styles to choose from. All are marked down to one low price.

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ELECTRIC WAFFLE IRONS **\$9.50 to \$12.00**

ELECTRIC HEATING PADS—3 heat control switch **\$4.75 to \$8.00**

ELECTRIC IRONS—1 lb., 3 lb. and 6 1/2 lbs. At **\$3.50 to \$7.50**

ELECTRIC HAIR DRYERS—Makes an ideal gift **\$3.50 to \$18.50**

ELECTRIC SEWING MACHINE MOTOR—Makes sewing easy **\$18.50**

ELECTRIC VIBRATORS—Complete with applicators **\$5.00 to \$16.50**

ELECTRIC HOT PLATES—For quick cooking **\$1.90 up**

XMAS TREE Outfits. Safe for the children **\$1.85 and \$2.65**

EXTRA MINIATURE BULBS for Tree Outfits **10c and 15c**

ELECTRIC TRAINS with track **\$6.50 and \$7.95**

ELECTRIC PERCOLATORS—6 to 9 cup size. At **\$3.98 to \$25.00**

ELECTRIC TOASTERS **\$4.00 to \$8.50**

FLASHLIGHTS—Makes Daddy a good gift **.65c to \$4.50**

ROYAL VACUUM Cleaner for Mother **\$55.00**

ELECTRIC GRILLS **\$6.50 and \$12.50**

RADIOS—R. C. A. Super Hetrodyne, Day-Fan and Crosley.

CLAMP-O-SET LAMP. Clamps anywhere **\$2.00 and \$3.00**

ELECTRIC MILK WARMERS **\$8.50**

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ELECTRIC HEATERS—For Bath Room, Bed Room or Office **\$7.50 to \$10.50**

VIOLET RAY **\$12.50**

ELECTRIC WREATHS, \$3.00 value now **\$1.50**

TOOL CHESTS for the Boy **\$2.98 to \$3.98**

DRUMS **.95c to \$1.75**

HORNS and Harmonicas **10c to 25c**

RUBBER BALLS **.10c to 1.29**

FOOT BALLS for Brother **.75c to \$4.50**

BASKET BALLS **\$2.98**

MAMA DOLLS **MECHANICAL TRAINS with track** **\$1.25 to \$2.98**

ERECTOR SETS **\$1.19**

TINKER TOYS **.69c to 79c**

PUZZLES and Baby Blocks **.25c to 50c**

CHILD'S ALUMINUM Cooking Sets **\$1.19 to \$2.48**

DOLL SWINGS **\$1.25**

DOLLS—All kinds from **.25c up**

NELKE Stuffed Dolls **.59c to 98c**

TOY WHEELBARROWS **.25c to 98c**

TOY LAWN MOWER **.79c**

GAMES from **.25c up**

MAH JONGG Sets from **.90c to \$6.75**

SCOOTERS **.4.75**

BABY WALKERS **.3.75**

COASTER WAGONS with rubber tired disc wheels, 1-2 ton truck **.67.50 to \$8.50**

"TINY TOTER" folds up flat for traveling purposes **.4.95**

BUDDY BIKES and Pedal Cars **.2.75 to \$3.98**

FRICITION TOYS—Locomotive, Street Cars, Trucks, Airplanes and Taxis **.1.00 to \$1.50**

BOXED STATIONERY and Correspondence Cards **.50c up**

PITCH-EM, Indian Horse Shoe Game **.98c**

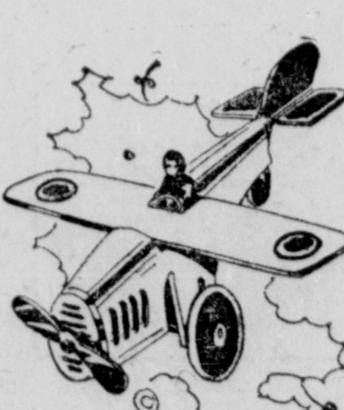
PARCHEESI and Checker Boards **.25c to \$1.00**

TOY LAUNDRY SETS **.59c to \$2.98**

IT WILL SAVE TIME AND MONEY

BY LOOKING OUR LINE OVER

WCW CO



THEATER PACKED FOR BENEFIT FOR CHILDREN OF HOME

The success of the sale of tickets for "Sherlock Jr." the benefit show being given by the Fraternal Order of Eagles, at the Bijou Theater Wednesday and Thursday, that Christmas for children of the County Children's Home will be so in fact as well as in name, was demonstrated Wednesday night by the crowd that attended the show.

Children of both the O. S. and S. O. Home and the Children's Home were guests of the Eagles Lodge at the afternoon show, and the school children in the city given an opportunity to witness "the funniest show on record" Thursday afternoon for ten cents.

Buster Keaton plays the leading role in "Sherlock Jr." and the ludicrous situations in which he becomes involved affords show goers much amusement. The final show will be given Thursday evening.

The Eagles Lodge has sponsored similar shows for the benefit of the kiddies of the Childrens' Home in past years and toys and candy will be presented to the children Christmas Day.

JUDGES TO CODIFY INTERNATIONAL LAW

Washington, Dec. 11.—An American judge, backed by the moral support of the United States government, will sit with 14 other international jurists to be chosen by the league of nations council to codify international law. Approval of the league plan, which carries out the repeated suggestions of President Coolidge and Secretary Hughes, was expressed by administration spokesmen.

Participation in this league activity will be in line with this government's co-operation in the league's anti-narcotic conference and other humanitarian activities. In accepting the league, this government, however, will point out again that it does not thereby undertake any league of nations commitments.

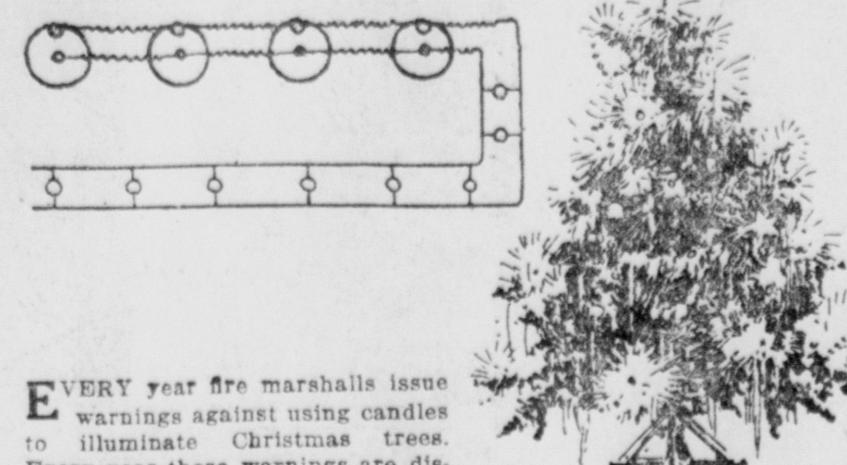
LE SOURD STARS IN LOSING CONTEST

Ohio State broke into the win columns in its first game this season when the sturdy Ohio Wesleyan five was smothered under the strong offensive of the Olsenties, 41 to 32 Wednesday night at the Coliseum at Columbus before the largest opening game crowd that ever watched an Ohio State cage team play.

William LeSourd, former Central High cage star, senior at Wesleyan, forward and former captain of the Methodists was high scoring man for the losers, LeSourd hit the net from the field seven times and twice from the foul line for a total of sixteen points, or exactly half the amount garnered by his teammates during the entire game.

CALL 111
FOR CLASSIFIED ADS

Christmas Tree Lighting Spreads Yuletide Spirit



EVERY year fire marshalls issue warnings against using candles to illuminate Christmas trees. Every year these warnings are disregarded nearly everywhere in the country and bad fires result. Many people do not know that they can have an electrically lighted Christmas tree, whether they have electricity in their home or not, and many, with homes that are wired, are afraid to experiment with the 110 volt house current supplied by a city lighting company.

The above diagram shows how anyone can have a Christmas tree brilliantly and beautifully lighted with small incandescent bulbs by

the simple use of four six-inch dry cells. All that is necessary is to connect the light sockets in parallel, use 1 1/4 volt flashlight bulbs, and then string the lights wherever fancy dictates among the boughs of the tree. Four six-inch cells will be sufficient to light eight or ten bulbs through the Christmas holidays and probably have plenty of energy left to ring the doorbell and perform other odd tasks around the home.

THREE CENTRAL HIGH GRIDIRONERS WIN MENTION IN SELECTION OF MIAMI VALLEY ALL-STARS

An All-Star football team of the mension at left guard, and Hamilton at right tackle. Steel of Miamisburg, was placed at the other with Kaufman and Cartwright of the same school at tackle and half back Wortz of Greenville, was almost a choice of Geenville, was almost a choice for full back. Hughes, the flashy Piqua half received more votes for his position on the first team than any other man.

The All-Star teams were picked by the coaches and newspaper men Piqua, Xenia and Sidney. Pipua and Sidney.

MT. TABOR

William Smith of Lakeland, Fla., formerly of this place, spent a few days last week, calling on friends and relatives.

Donald Smith of Dayton spent the

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Our store is jammed full of useful gifts for the workingman

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fleece lined un-
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heavy weight big
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Sheep Lined Coats

36 inches long
4 leather tipped pockets
Belted all around
9 1/2 ounce moleskin shell
5 1/2 inch beaverized collar
Best quality XX sheep pelt

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IN
THIS CITY

SALE PRICE

\$10.89

We Cash Your Christmas Checks. For Your Accommodation we are OPEN EVERY EVENING

The Workingman's Store

Open Evenings.

week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Smith.

Dick Devoe and family of near Port William and Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Neff of Eleazer were Saturday guests of Jim Jones and family.

Elmer Wooley and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Amos Slanffer of Alpha.

The Ladies' Aid will meet at the home of Mrs. Riley Jones, Thursday, December 11.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Bland and son, Glen, spent Saturday in Springfield.

George Murray and family and Herman Oliver and family spent Sunday

with Mrs. M. A. Strong.

Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Hays and family of Xenia spent Sunday with H. Bland and family.

APPLICATION FOR PAROLE

Notice is hereby given that George Grody No 52665, a prisoner now con-

fined in the Old Penitentiary, has been recommended to the Ohio

Board of Clemency, by the Warden

and Chaplin as legally eligible to

a hearing for Parole. Said Application

will be for hearing on or after

Feb. 2, 1925.

H. J. Bonzo, Parole and Record Clerk.

12-4-18.

PUBLIC AUCTION

SATURDAY

December 13, 1924.

12:00 NOON

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SELLERS and FISTE
HORSE and MULE CO.

XENIA, OHIO.

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Have you got that new Suit for Christmas or that Tuxedo. We have the goods to select from and ready to serve you on short notice.

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Tractor Oil

Ask any farmer who is using or HAS used it—that's a better recommendation than our word. We absolutely guarantee to lubricate any make of tractor to YOUR satisfaction or make no charge.

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AT LOWER PRICES THAN YOU

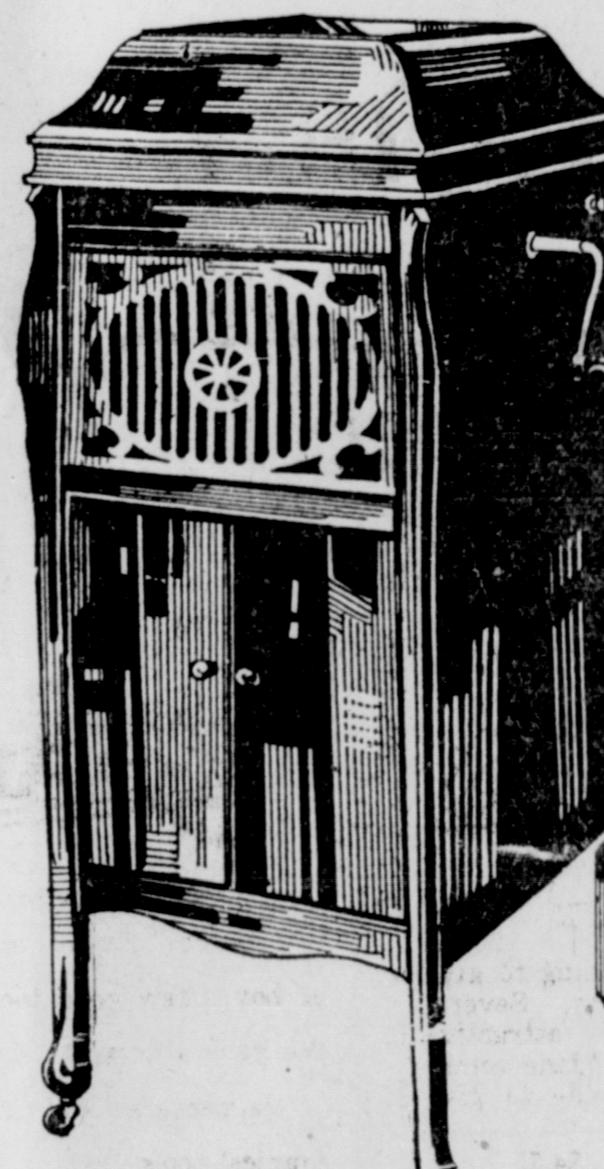
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24 Selections FREE

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Such prices, such terms, will create a demand far in ex-

cess of the supply. Plan to be here early tomorrow, play a record—any record. THEN DECIDE.

ADAIR'S
Established 1886
20-24 North Detroit Street

ANTIOCH TOSERS HAVE TWO GAMES

The speedy Antioch College five will have as its second opponent the quintet representing Urbana Junior College, which team will be met on the Yellow Springs Court Thursday night while on Friday night the team will make a trip to New Concord to play Muskingum College.

The decisive manner in which the McCook Field five was defeated 37 to 25, Monday night, gave Coach Prugh and the lusty Antioch rooters something to smile over.

Tentative arrangements are being made by Antioch officials to stage a game at the Montgomery County Fairground Coliseum on New Year's eve with Princeton University as the opponent. Other probable opponents are Ohio State or Indiana Universities at the same place about the same date.

FARM BUREAU MEET HOLDS MOCK TRIAL

A mock trial featured the reorganization meeting of the Beavercreek Farm Bureau, Wednesday night. The "case" was that of a man who refused to sell his cattle after he found that they had reacted to a tuberculosis test.

The attorneys were Otto Keiter and Carl Merrick, with Horace Ankeney, judge. The verdict found the defendant guilty and he was forced to "sell" his cattle. The trial furnished many amusing incidents.

Russell Schultz was elected president of the Beavercreek Farm body at the business meeting. Albert Ankeney, Jr., was elected vice president and John Munger, secretary.

YELLOW SPRINGS

A few weeks ago the High School students had a contest to see which team would get the largest number of subscribers to the "Country Gentleman." They were divided into three teams, the "Sassy Sasses," "Spark Plugs," and "Barney Googles." The losing teams were to entertain the winning team. Friday evening these two teams gave a party in the High School in honor of "Barney Googles," the winning team. The evening was

spent in games and music. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served.

The Library Club met Monday afternoon with Mrs. George Drake. Mrs. Howsare of Dayton gave a talk on "Experiences as a member of a school board." Mrs. Howsare was a former resident of this place and a graduate of Antioch College. She will be remembered as Miss Athella McKinney. The funeral services of Mr. John Semler were held Sunday afternoon at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Clarence Harner in Springfield, Burial in the Fairfield Cemetery. Mrs. John Dell of this place was a daughter. Mr. Semler was well known here as he spent part of his time at the home of Mrs. Dell. Mr. Semler was 81 years of age. He had a stroke of paralysis and died Friday morning.

Eugene Drake, who has been in McClellan Hospital in Xenia recovering from an operation for appendicitis was able to be brought home Friday.

Mrs. W. C. Myers of Springfield spent Friday with her father, Mr. Ezra Tait.

Mrs. Harold Schmidt and little daughter of Springfield spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Littleton.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Talbott and little son of Dayton spent the week end with Mrs. Talbott's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Towne Carlisle.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl King and little

daughter Carrol of Springfield were here Monday calling on friends.

COURT NEWS

TWO GET DIVORCES

Laverne Christine Gaffin has been granted a divorce from William E. Gaffin in Common Pleas Court on a charge of gross neglect of duty and the plaintiff has been restored to her maiden name of "Lehman." Albert Franks has been granted a divorce from Sadie Franks in Common Pleas Court on the same charge.

WANTS PARTITION

John H. Semler, Jr., has filed suit in Common Pleas Court against Charles E. Semler and others, for partition of certain property, in which the plaintiff claims to have a one-ninth interest.

The plaintiff contends that the defendants are tenants with him, and each have an interest in the property. The plaintiff asks that partition be made, the property sold, and his interest set off to him in severality. Miller and Finney are attorneys for the plaintiff.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Albert Ross Franks, 536 West Main Street, mill employee and Grace Lloyd

Penwell, 536 West Main Street, Rev. A. J. Furstenberger.

Thomas Hunter Heathcock, Cedarville, paper mill employee and Hattie C. Bowen, Cedarville. Rev. V. F. Brown.

GOBS KISS MORTOR BOARDS GOODBYE

If a gob swinging down Xenia streets has a closer resemblance to a bellhop here after, don't blame your eyesight.

For the "pancake" style of headgear for sailors is "out." In its place will be a round cap like that affected by the page in select hotels.

Tests to select new and more serviceable headgear for seamen are being conducted and the bell hop fashion is winning, it is said.

The new fashion will meet with the approval of "the girl in every port," sailors hope.

The announcement of the new style of cap is made by Lieutenant E. W. Morris, in charge of the Cincinnati Naval Recruiting Station.

TODAY'S OFFER TO ALL WHO HAVE STOMACH DISTRESS

Try One Bottle of Dare's Mentha Pepsin for Indigestion or Any Stomach Trouble and if Not Delighted With the Good Results, Sohn's Drug Store or Any Reliable Druggist Will Gladly Return the Purchase Price

Why not get a bottle of this grand stomach medicine today with the distinct understanding that your money will be promptly returned if it does not stop the most acute stomach distress quicker than anything you ever used.

Your stomach may be so distended with gas that you think every minute your heart will stop beating, yet with one dessertspoonful of Dare's Mentha Pepsin that dreadful feeling of suffocation will vanish in a few minutes.

With the same speed it stops gas, acidity, belching and heartburn.

It's a wonderful formula—this combination of Pepsin with Menthol and other good stomach invigorators—so few cents.—Adv.

wonderful that in one small town in New Jersey last year over 6,000 bottles were sold.

Never mind what causes your indigestion or gastritis or dyspepsia or how long you have had it, or how many other remedies you have tried,

this is the one medicine that will make your old disabled stomach so strong and healthy that you can digest anything you eat without the slightest distress.

And you know that when your stomach is in fine shape, nervousness, headaches and dizziness won't bother you. Every regular druggist guarantees one bottle of Dare's Mentha Pepsin. Sohn's Drug store sells dozens of it.—Adv.

Gargle Throat With Aspirin

Clip This if Subject to Sore Throat or Tonsilitis

Prepare a harmless and effective gargle by dissolving two Bayer Tablets of Aspirin in four tablespoons of water. Gargle throat thoroughly. Repeat in two hours if necessary.

Be sure you use only the genuine Bayer Tablets of Aspirin, marked with the Bayer Cross, which can be had in the boxes of twelve tablets for few cents.—Adv.

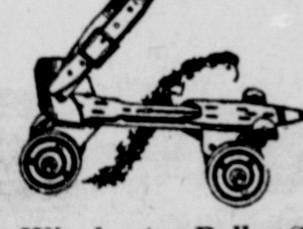


Useful Gifts at THE WINCHESTER STORE

People who have that enviable ability to choose appropriate gifts, usually select something useful. Useful gifts are sure to please. The Christmas merchandise now on display in our store offers early shoppers an unusual selection of useful, sensible gifts, appropriate for every member of the family.



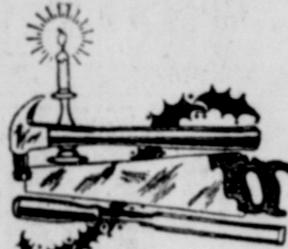
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Winchester Roller Skates



Winchester Pocket Knives



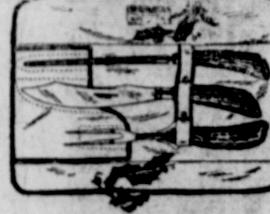
Winchester Tools

Give the handy man or boy a few good tools. We have a complete line of carpenters' and mechanics' tools.

A gift that will bring real Christmas happiness to boys and girls. Strongly made. Easy rolling.

10c to \$4.75

10c to \$2.00



Winchester Carving Sets
The aristocrat of cutlery goods. Genuine stag handle sets with sterling silver mountings. A variety of other distinctive patterns, combining beauty and utility.

\$3.50 to \$11.00

Every boy wants to own a Winchester. The Model 04 is the one for boys who are going to learn to shoot. \$9.00.

A fine bamboo rod or reel will please the man whose hobby is fishing. We have a complete line of Winchester fishing tackle.

GIFT SUGGESTIONS

Silverware

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You Fresh Daily from all over the Globe,
through the medium of a Press Association**

**The Evening Gazette
AND
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COUNTY WARDS GET GIFT FROM EAGLES

The hearts of the children at the Greene County Children's Home will be gladdened this week with the gift of a \$150 graphonola, console model, purchased by Xenia Aerie, No. 1689, Fraternal Order of Eagles from the Sutton Music Store.

The music box will be taken to the institution this week and accepted by the children. The pupils of the institution have been regularly receiving gifts from the Eagles Lodge.

MONEY AT WORK

Brief but Important Lessons in Finance, Markets, Stocks, Bonds and Investments



The absolute, sensational truth sometimes makes advertising copy with exceptional pulling power, especially when something is told that would ordinarily be covered up.

Recently the owner of a large department store called the advertising manager into his office and explained that the store had a large number of raincoats, partially rotten, some cracked, and other good, which ought to be sold. The owner told the ad manager that unless they were sold at any price they might as well be dumped in the river.

The ad manager wrote the following advertisement: "We have a bunch of raincoats. Many of them are more or less worthless. Others are in good shape. We will take almost any price for them. Unless we sell them at some price we may as well throw them in the river." The store owner saw this ad in the morning paper while eating breakfast and rushed downtown with the intention of killing the ad manager and then discharging him.

The ad manager did not lose his position, however, because by the time the owner arrived at the store every raincoat in the entire store good

Quick Way To Break Heavy Cough

Many have been astonished how quickly they had coughs disappear when treated with a new double action treatment that is simple but wonderfully effective.

Here is the new treatment, which is based on a remarkable prescription known as Dr. King's New Discovery for Coughs: You simply take one teaspoonful of the medicine in your mouth for 15 or 20 seconds before swallowing, without following with water. The prescription has a double action, not only soothes and helps to stop the cough, but also loosens and removes the phlegm and congestion which are the direct cause of the coughing. When the cause is removed, the severest cough quickly disappears.

This treatment is for coughs, chest colds, tickling, sore throat, hoarseness, bronchitis, colds, colds, etc. Recommended for children as well as grown folks—no narcotics or opiates. Economical, too, as the dose is only one teaspoonful. At all good druggists. Ask for

DR. KING'S NEW DISCOVERY FOR COUGHS

Pretty Model falls in Love with SKINNY CHAP WHO PUT ON GOOD FIRM FLESH. LOOKS 100% BETTER NOW. "Real Man" since he

took gland treatment. Full of pep—"regular fellow" now.

Is it possible for a thin, bony, hollow-cheeked fellow to put on good solid flesh, fill out like a real red-blooded man, and get new pep and strength IN LESS THAN A MONTH?

Not only does Miss Glora Evans THINK so—SHE KNOWS so. Her sweetheart was as "skinny as a broomstick," he was so pale, nervous and unhealthy-looking he seemed like a walking ghost. Then, secretly at first, he started in taking Kath, a wonderful new gland treatment he heard about, and in three weeks time he added 18 lbs. of fine strong flesh. Pretty soon his face took on a fine healthy glow, he felt new vitality surging in his veins. Then he "popped the question" to his beautiful Miss Evans, and she quickly said "Yes." As Jack now writes, both were in a "seventh heaven."

Kath is the much talked-about genuine extract of glands which gives a new start to the flesh forming and strength building fluids that are now lying idle or worn out from overwork, worry, excesses, nervousness. The following drug store is authorized by the Kath Drug Research Institute to make this GUARANTEE.

The harmless and inexpensive Kath gland treatment if taken as prescribed, according to directions, will give any man or woman good firm flesh, increased weight, and pep, within one month, or full cost price will be refunded.

SOHN'S DRUG STORE

and bad, had been sold, and the other departments were jammed with people who had been attracted to the store by the unusual truth and frankness of the advertisement.

PAINTERSVILLE

Mrs. Louisa Fawcett had as her guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Ary.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Devoe of Wilmington spent Sunday with Mrs. Emily Devoe and daughter Flora.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Fawcett entertained Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hagler and son Donald to dinner Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Isiah Mason spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Golder Mason.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Devoe and Lorna Dean spent Sunday with Mrs. Ella Miller.

Mrs. Sherman Fawcett who underwent an operation at the McClellan Hospital has returned to her home and is doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Corwin Ary were called to Angonia (Darke Co.) Monday

owing to the death of Mr. Ary's father, Mr. George Ary.

Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Vinton entertained Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Devoe to dinner Sunday.

Dog Must Stay Out

"I don't mind the children having a dog," explained a Trumbull avenue woman recently, "but hereafter, the animal has got to be kept out of the house while I'm cooking. I had just made a batch of light rolls, and had them in a pan in front of the fire to raise. They had just got a good start, and I left the room. When I came back, the dog had got into the kitchen some way and was just finishing the last of the rolls. They must have been pretty good, too, for he swelled up until he was almost twice as big around as he ought to be. It didn't do him any permanent damage physically, but I guess it hurt his feelings when I told him what I thought; anyway he wouldn't look me in the eye for a week."—Detroit News.

STRENGTH-PROFIT-SAFETY

This Combination is Given Investors in THE BUCKEYE. Consider what these three features mean to you, as an investor, and decide if it is not the part of wisdom to join THE BUCKEYE and receive 5 per cent interest on your money.

Strength in resources, now over \$27,900,000.00; strength in reserve over \$1,000,000.00; strength in membership, over 64,600.

Profit lies in the sure and regular receipt of interest checks every 6 months from date of THE BUCKEYE'S 5 per cent Time Certificates of Deposit. Always worth 100 cents on the dollar.

Safety lies in able management; a Board of Directors that approves all loans; loans made only in first mortgage real estate security—on homes—at one-half appraised value.

The Buckeye State Building and Loan
22 West Gay St. Columbus, O.
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FROM YOUR HOME JEWELER

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GIFTS THAT LAST

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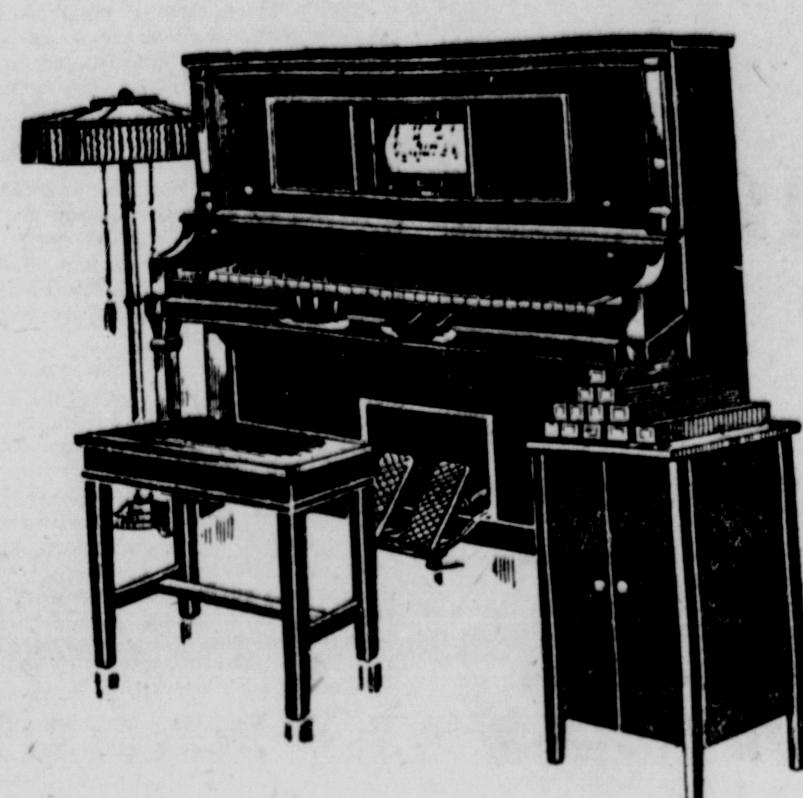
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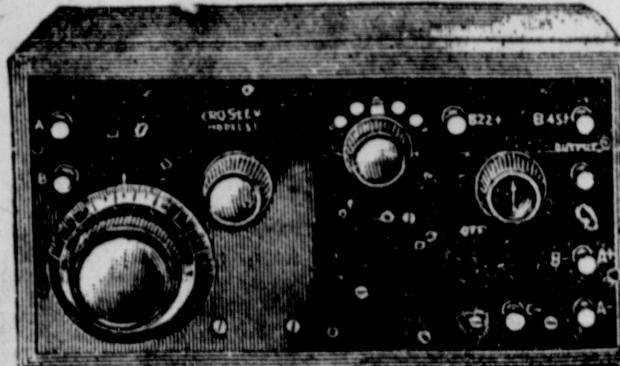
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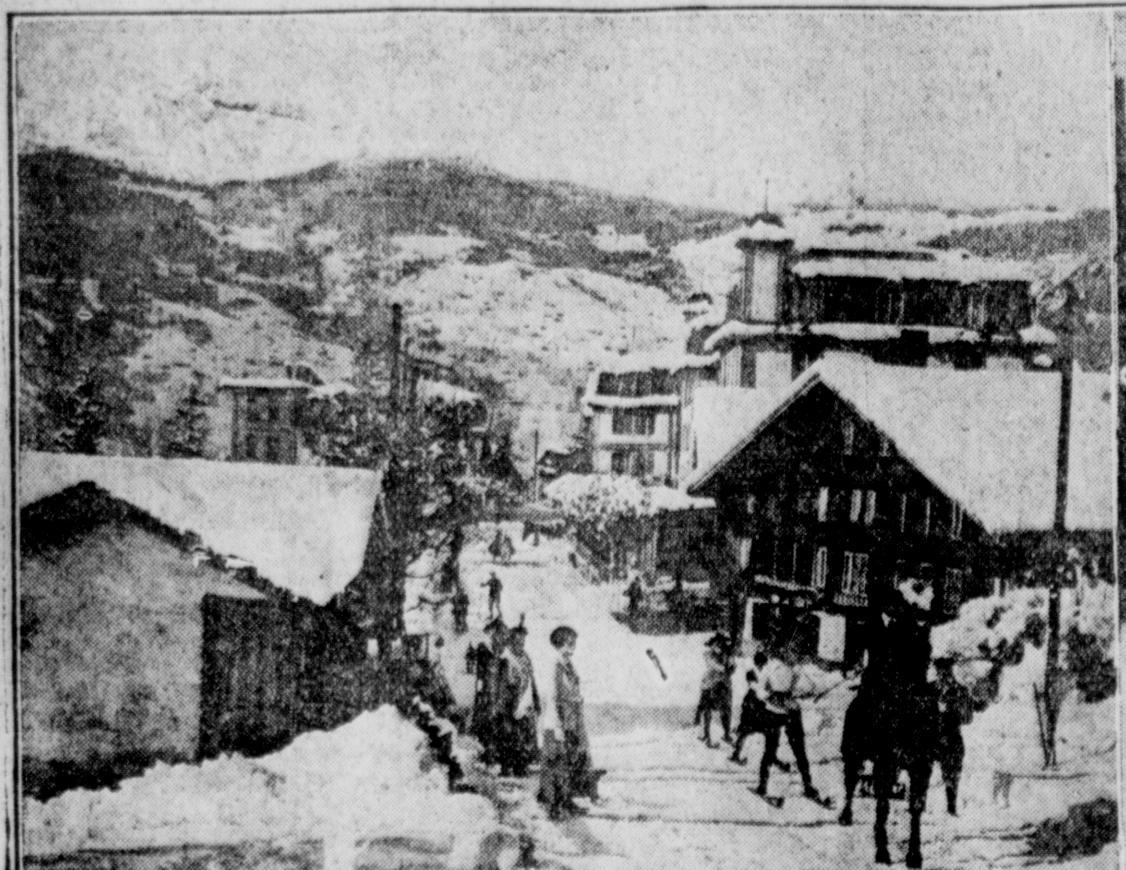
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GLORIOUS WINTER SPORTS IN SWITZERLAND



Top left—Ski-kjöring at Grindelwald in the Bernese Oberland. Bottom left—A tailing party at Davos (Grisons). Top right—Latest style (Och creations) at St. Moritz. Bottom right—Lady Ribblesdale is always a familiar figure at St. Moritz.

BY MARIE WIDMER

gan to surge within us. But a few hours ago we had traveled through lowlands of a world which we would readily

after all still living on old Mother Earth.

and we beheld it in speechless wonder, whose cold and desolate aspect had sent have credited to another planet had we

while an uncomfortable chill through our not been so absolutely sure that we were

scattered over the great expanse, glittering like flawless diamonds in the glorious sun. Above a sky of the deepest white, with myriads of tiny crystals test blue, its hue yet accentuated by the

majestic mountains rising all around, stately figures in their robes of ermine. And wonder, first closely assembled, then gradually scattered here and there as their trail climbed higher, stood in glorious array the Christman trees of the great outdoors. With infinite artistic skill nature had transformed every fir and every pine tree into a vision suggestive of fairyland and we had to admit to ourselves that mankind would indeed do well to carefully follow her in the matter of such decorations.

At a first glance our village seemed to be quietly slumbering under its blanket of snow, but the hustle and bustle and lively chatter which greeted us as we drew up at the railroad station dispelled all such doubts. Bob-sleighs, toboggans, snow bicycles, skis and similar apparatus with which humanity "keeps moving" on the snow nowadays were unloaded in great numbers. Friends and relatives had come to meet some of the arrivals and polite hotel employees took care of the others. All types and nationalities seemed to be represented among this joyous crowd thronging the station, but there was a marked difference between the newcomers and the already settled visitors. While the former were mostly men and women attired in heavy sombre looking traveling costumes, showing signs of fatigue from the journey behind them, the latter's countenance, whether it belonged to young or old heads, seemed to vibrate with youth and energy, while their colorful and oftentimes bizarre costumes offered a rare opportunity for fashion and character study.

It has been pointed out long ago that gaily colored clothes are conducive to joyful moods and a survey of this brightly attired crowd certainly seemed to justify this theory. There may be a visitor here and there who, for some reason or other, adheres to conservative hues and styles, but even these seemingly "quiet" guests display a vivacity and a joy of living which can only be described as the natural effect of the tonic air of the Alps, of the perpetual sunshine and the glorious scenery.

Since winter has become the season "par excellence" for all true lovers of the great outdoors, it has become the ambition of every Swiss mountain resort situated over 3,000 feet above sea level to establish and maintain ice rinks, toboggans and bobsleigh runs and ski-jumping platforms, the marvelous and oftentimes totally unusual features of which render the different sport varieties all the more fascinating and thrilling.

Think of a skating rink of 40,000 square yards, where every recognized or novel form of ice sport is seen at its best! This wonder-rink, the largest in Europe, is at Davos, in the Grisons and it is known as a favorite meeting place of international champions and virtuoso skaters. A considerable number of workers are employed to keep the rinks in order; the ice is flooded every night and is scraped and polished in the morning before dawn with practically the same minute care that glassworkers bestow upon plate glass.

If space permits, the rinks are divided into different sections; one for skating, one for hockey, one for curling and another for mirth provoking general games, the "gymkhana," as they are called. If the rink happens to be of smaller dimensions, there are invariably others nearby to accommodate contestants in various ice sports. At night these glassy surfaces are more and more becoming the ballroom of modern youth and what is more picturesque on a clear, starry night.

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Dayton Bicycles	\$35.00 to \$42.50
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At	\$5.00 to \$12.00

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TOBACCO SALES IN NOVEMBER LARGEST SINCE POOL STARTED

The Miami Valley Tobacco Growers' Cooperative Association sold more tobacco during November than any month since the organization started sales work, according to reports received from the Ohio Farm Bureau Federation. Sales for the month were more than 8,000 cases, bringing the total of the 1923 crop to approximately 28,000 cases.

Preparations are being made for receiving the 1924 crop, which will move into association warehouses after the first of the year, as sales of the 1923 crop are going forward rapidly. A series of stripping demonstrations are being conducted in even counties in which the association has members. In order to arrange these demonstrations, about sixty tobacco growers assembled at the Dayton headquarters recently and were shown the best methods of preparing tobacco for storage and sale.

While the month of November was the largest tobacco sales month in the history of the organization, indications point to an even greater sales in December, according to Morris E. Stern, sales manager of the association.

Approximately 25,000 cases of tobacco have been sold within the last three weeks in two lots, while contracts have been made for the sale of 4,000 additional cases.

STRONG TESTIMONY HEARD IN MURDER TRIAL OF FIGHTER

Los Angeles, Calif., Dec. 11.—The state was expected today to introduce its most telling testimony in the trial of Kid McCoy for the murder of his sweetheart, Teresa Mors.

Mrs. Jennie Thomas, favorite of the former prize fighter's three sisters, was to take the witness stand against her brother and was scheduled to give the most important testimony of the fourth day of the trial.

Weaving a chronological story of the asserted slaying by McCoy of Mrs. Mors, the prosecution was prepared to open its shuttle of evidence by introduction of witnesses who will describe the movements of McCoy as far as they are known to the district attorney, from the time of Mrs. Mors' death to McCoy's arrest.

Patrolman Young and Page will testify. District Attorney Asa Keyes declared that on August 13 at 3:45 o'clock in the morning they found McCoy in an intoxicated condition and took him to the death apartment. At the same apartment, just a few hours later Mrs. Mors was found dead.

MORTALITY RATE IS STILL INCREASING

Washington, Dec. 11.—Despite the onward march of science and medicine, the American mortality rate last year was higher than the year before, the department of commerce announced today. In 1922, the rate was 11.8 per cent. Last year it climbed to 12.3.

Only seven states, six of them in the far west, showed lower mortality rates for 1923 than for 1922. These were Colorado, Idaho, Montana, Oregon, Utah, Washington and South Carolina.

DOUTHETT STARS ON BEAVER VALLEY 5

An account of a basketball game in which Robert Douthett, a former Central High cage star under Coach Jerry Katherman, recently starred at Beaver Falls, Pa., has been received by Harvey Coats, proprietor of Coates' Barber Shop. The account follows:

"The Cook Brothers of Pittsburgh lost a one-sided game to the Beaver Valley Y. M. C. A. here last night. The score was 33 to 9. Douthett playing center the second half for Zivitz, featured with five field goals."

Douthett is now living at New Brighton, Pa., and is playing independent basketball.

Uncovered Roman Town Uncovered in England

Harragate.—Further details of thecovery near Harragate of the 2,000-year-old Roman city of Isurium make apparent that the city covered 70 acres and was surrounded by a wall one mile in circumference, nine feet thick and about twenty feet high. The find is one of the most interesting made in England for 50 years, and has attracted the attention of noted theologians of Great Britain and the continent. The excavations were easily recognized as the ancient Roman by coins and other relics found. The location is on the exact spot indicated in the Sixteenth century maps of Roman Britain.

Already much of the wall has been exposed, including portions of a multiangular tower. Close by were portions of a building, probably a grain warehouse, with the stone work in perfect preservation. A Roman road thirty feet wide was discovered a short distance from the granary.

Victim Receives Award.
Tiffin, O., Dec. 11.—The New York Central Railroad company awarded \$50 to Zora Hoffman, 15, one of the victims of the automobile-train crash at Oak Harbor July 23. The child recently left Fort Clinton hospital. The accident leaves one of her legs shorter than the other. This settlement is the largest thus far paid in this case.

Gem Theft Reported.
New Philadelphia, O., Dec. 11.—Twelve diamond rings, valued at between \$1,500 and \$2,000, in a velvet box, were stolen from a show case in the local store of the Watch Shop company. John E. Joss of the firm offered \$500 reward for their return.

AMERICAN LEAGUE COMMENDS LANDIS REGIME AT SESSION

BY DAVIS J. WALSH

New York, Dec. 11.—According to William Harridge, official mouthpiece for the American League executive headquarters a general discussion of current affairs preceded the adoption of the American League resolution commanding the Landis regime at yesterday's meeting.

The resolution was a slap in Johnson's executive face, but the Harridge statement made it appear that the blow was delivered with a velvet glove.

My information is quite to the contrary.

"Johnson should be kicked out of baseball."

This statement was credited to Charles Comiskey, Chicago owner and die hard of the anti-Johnson clan, following the meeting, which is said to have been a most uncomfortable one for Ban.

The old "Roman" delivered his blast in the presence of a few intimate friends, according to the good word emanating from the baseball belt last night.

The general discussion of which Harridge spoke, saw Comiskey stand up on his feet forty-five minutes and raze his ancient foe, fore and aft, with verbal canister. So, at any rate, say those whose word these matters is above reproach.

When he had finished, the resolution was passed. It was unanimous, according to Harridge.

Later, Comiskey is reported to have made these remarks:

"Johnson called our esteemed leader Landis, a 'crazy nut.' This man Johnson has done more to hurt the game in recent years than any other influence. He should be kicked out, right now."

Comiskey, it seems, was not wholly in accord with the resolution, although he cast his vote for it. He did not think that it went far enough.

The old Roman was attending his first meeting in four years and he did not come on from Chicago just for the sake of a train ride.

He had important business to transact and part of it was the demand that Johnson prove his oft-repeated claim that he, Johnson, was responsible for the expose of the 1919 world series scandal. It seemed to be Comiskey's idea that he himself had something to do with the exhuming of the deceased remains and went on to tell Ban about it at great detail. Johnson, meantime, is said to have maintained a dignified silence.

The Worry Killer

"Don't worry," says the doctor and "don't worry," says the friend, but "how can I stop worrying," says the worried one, "when I have so much to worry about?" Recreation offers the means, says one who knows. Every man should have a hobby or two to divert his mind and relax the tension of business and other cares.

Chauncey Depew took up speech-making as a hobby. In order to prepare and deliver his after-dinner speeches, he was compelled to completely forget his duties as railroad president. He is more than ninety years old now and is still serving the New York Central railroad. Gardening, music, reading, art and a thousand other things offer opportunities for persons to forget their troubles.

Play is the best kind of exercise and callisthenics will help. Keep busy and do not eat too much.

Resignation Accepted.

Concord, N. H., Dec. 11.—The resignation of John V. Dittmore of Boston as a trustee of the estate of Mary Baker Eddy was accepted by Judge Hill of the county probate court. Mr. Dittmore filed his resignation with the clerk of the court two days ago. A petition for his removal, filed by his co-trustees, was awaiting hearing.

AND HIS NAME IS "ALBERTA"



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MEN'S	
\$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00,	
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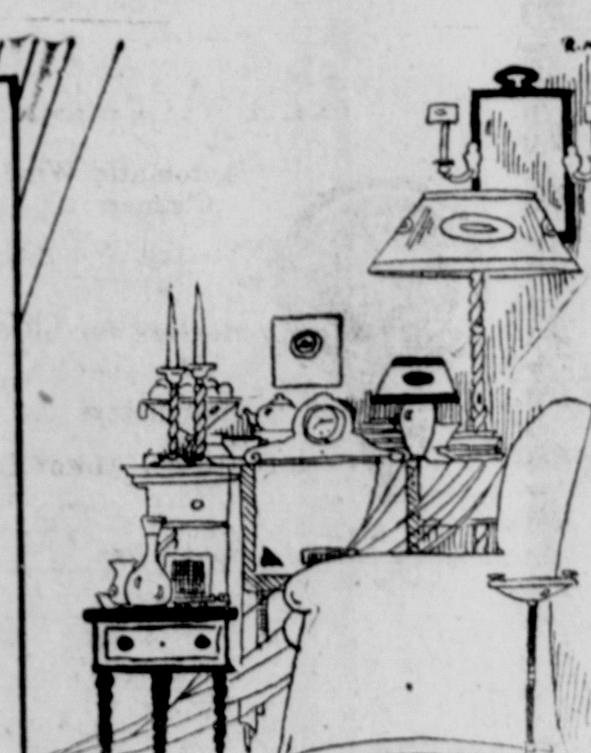
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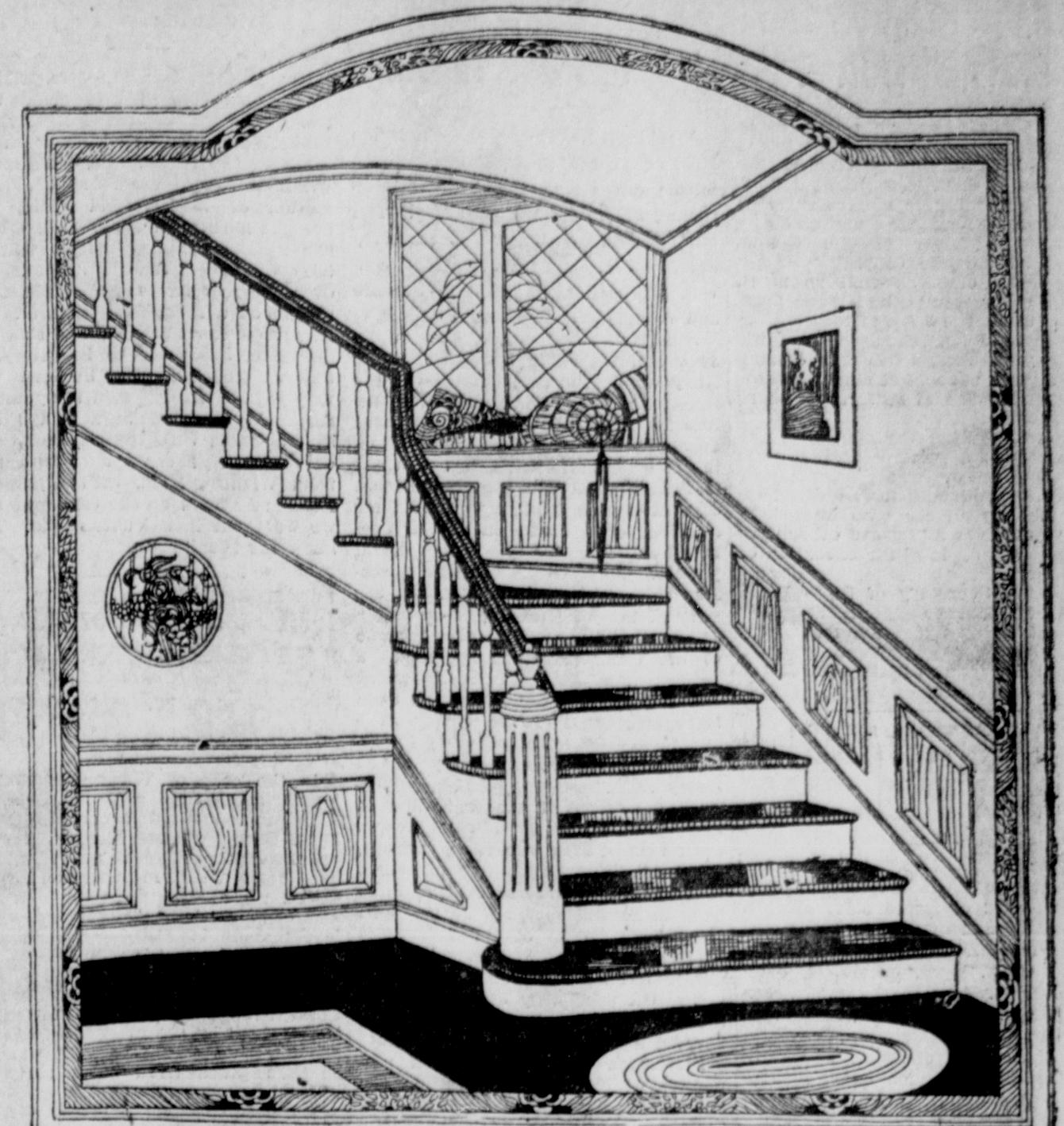


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a combination which is at once

beautiful and restful. This grace-

treads and ivory enameled risers

and its graceful paneling illustrates

one of the many beautiful com-

bination which can be achieved by

a judicious use of the correct wood

finishes.

Twenty kinds of wood are used

for building purposes to-day, and

each one requires a special type of

treatment to bring out its beauty

of grain and to insure it against

disintegrating forces.

Among the woods used for inter-

ior trim and furniture that take

paint well are white pine, birch,

poplar, red gum, basswood, maple,

redwood, Douglas fir and white

cedar. Woods which possess

beautiful grain and which will look

best treated with transparent fin-

ishes (varnish or stain) include

oak, walnut, mahogany, chestnut,

yellow pine and ash. The hard-

woods that stain best are oak, wal-

nut and mahogany.

It is idle to expect to secure a

good finish or a lasting job unless

three coats of paint, varnish or

enamel, as the case may be, are

used. The extra cost of the third

coat is justified because it makes

the job last three times as long.

It is important to get a priming

coat on wood just as soon as possi-

ble after it comes from the mill.

Moisture absorbed before the prim-

ing coat is put on tends to destroy

the paint retaining qualities of the

wood. It is far-sighted economy

and insurance against rot to prime

all millwork on all surfaces

whether or not they will be ex-

posed.

A priming coat is particularly

necessary on woodwork before

plastering is done, otherwise mois-

ture from drying plaster is absorbed

by the wood and is apt to make

the finish unsatisfactory.

The proper use of fillers is also

very important in wood finishing

and deserves special study by an

expert painter. Woods for varnishing

excluding oak, walnut and

mahogany require liquid filler.

Woods to be painted require no

filler.

Disabled Vets Fined.

Dayton, O., Dec. 11.—Thirty disabled veterans of the world war pleaded guilty in police court to charges of violating the city soliciting ordinance in connection with their sale two weeks ago of forget-me-nots. Declaring his belief that the veterans thought they were within their rights in selling with licenses issued by the county auditor, Judge William G. Powell suspended the \$5 fines and costs which were assessed each man.

AUTO CLUB MAY NOT CHARGE FEE FOR TAG DISTRIBUTION NOW

Auto Clubs and deputy auto registrars have no legal authority to charge for issuing license tags, Attorney General C. C. Crabbe ruled Wednesday, according to a wire received. Silver Belden, secretary and deputy auto registrar of the Greene County Automobile Club.

The local club, as well as many other similar agents, had made preparation to charge a fee of ten cents in addition to the purchase price of the tags for handling them and leasing special room space, but since the new ruling, the club will be forced to bear the expense alone.

The new ruling declares that the law provides a penalty of not more than \$200 fine or twenty days imprisonment, or both and forfeiture, of office, for any officer who knowingly asks or receives a "reward other than that allowed by law" for execution of his duties.

Assistant Secretary of State Baird said the attorney general's ruling would probably upset the machinery which has been built up in many counties for quick distribution of the tags.

HARRY CATON AGAIN WILL HEAD GRANGE

Zanesville, O., Dec. 11.—The Ohio state grange re-elected for the next two years 12 of its 15 state officers. Harry A. Caton of Coshocton was re-elected master. Other officers named were: C. A. Dyer, Columbus, overseer; G. R. Lewis, Columbus, lecturer; G. F. Mason, Columbian county steward; Guy Johnson, Franklin County, assistant steward; Mrs. Mildred Anderson, Marion county, chaplain; O. J. Demuth, Tuscarawas county treasurer; W. J. Vandenberg, Muskingum county, secretary; H. A. Atwood, Portage county, gatekeeper; Mrs. D. R. McConnell, Trumbull county, recorder; Mrs. Laura Reiderling, Portage county, pomona; Mrs. H. R. Harris, Warren county, flora; Miss Almyra Pontius, Stark county, lady assistant steward, and B. F. Tussing, Franklin county, member of the executive committee.

Would Boost Postmen's Pay. Washington, Dec. 11.—The postmen's department is drafting a bill to increase and adjust postal rates so as to permit a \$68,000,000 advance in the pay of postal employees. This is being done at the request of Senator Sterling, chairman of the senate postoffice committee. It is the purpose of Senator Sterling to present a measure which will lower the rates on the handling of various kinds of mail to meet the pay increases which President Coolidge has vetoed.

Why Nobody Likes a Person With Stained Teeth

Nothing will ruin a person's appearance or popularity quicker than dark, yellowish, stained teeth. Unsanitary or tobacco-stained teeth denote indolence and carelessness. These are fatal to business or social success. Yet it is so easy to remove such stains and have your sparkling white teeth! This is through Bleaching Combination, consisting of a mild safe liquid which softens stains and a special paste which gently removes them without affecting enamel. Recommended by all dentists. Brings instant results. Make your teeth flashing white this new, safe way. Get Bleaching Combination today, at all good dealers, such as: Donges Drug Store, Sayre and Hemphill.

BILL INTRODUCED TO RECONDITION OLD BATTLESHIPS

Washington, Dec. 11.—Chairman of the senate naval affairs committee called up the naval reconditioning bill in the senate today. The bill provides expenditure of \$111,000 to build eight light cruisers, convert six battleships into oil burners and create six new gunboats.

Senator Hale's motion was in answer to the plea of Secretary of the Navy Wilbur for modernization of the American fleet. Wilbur appeared before the house subcommittee on naval appropriations and urged reconditioning of older battleships to keep them in fighting trim and the inauguration of a continuing building program for auxiliary craft based on similar construction undertaken by other naval powers. This action was held necessary to re-establish and maintain the navy at the 5-5-3 ratio.

The secretary's statement was made to the committee in response to a request for a detailed statement showing "just what ways we have retrogressed" from the treaty ratio and what steps were necessary to restore and maintain the navy at the treaty ratio.

The question of modernization of many battleships of the fleet was dealt with at length in the statement, with particular stress on the six ships that need new boilers to bring them back to normal speed. "To postpone the modernization of these ships is to gamble upon the chances of war during the next 10 years and to increase the possibility of such war by that degree of unpreparedness," Wilbur declared.

Discussion of gun elevation proposals, which has not reached the committee for its consideration and involves possible international aspect, was deferred by the secretary. It is known, however, that he feels that the same arguments apply for prompt work on increasing gun ranges.

The senate agreed by unanimous consent to consider the Isle of Pines treaty between Cuba and the United States immediately following disposal of Muscle Shoals.

WIFE ADMITS SHE LURED MAN TO DEATH

Kansas City, Dec. 11.—Mrs. Mildred Arnold, 21, confessed to police that she had lured Lawrence I. Hatfield, Pinkerton detective, to his death because she feared her husband's wrath if she refused. Mrs. Arnold, mother of a 2-year-old child, was brought here from Joplin, Mo., where she has been hiding since Hatfield's body was found a week ago slumped over the steering wheel of his automobile on a roadside near here. W. H. Arnold, her husband, who shot the detective, according to her story, is still at liberty. "My husband was very jealous of me," said the youthful mother. "He had been told I had several dates with Hatfield and wanted revenge. I came here with him from Wichita, Kan., with a purpose. I called Hatfield on the telephone and we went out in his automobile. You know the rest."

FUNDERBURG CASE SETTLED FOR CASH AND IS DISMISSED

In the case of Warren Middleton, by his father and guardian, John A. Middleton, against Lincoln Funderburg, former Greene County Sheriff, an entry of settlement and dismissal has been filed in Common Pleas Court.

A cash settlement had been previously made of \$1,700 by the defendant to the plaintiff with the additional payment of medical bills. The settlement had been made in Probate Court as a result of personal injuries received by the plaintiff two years ago on the Wilmington Pike when a sheriff's posse fired on a party of boys.

The case was one of three suits for \$25,000 damages brought as a result of the shooting. The Court of Appeals has the case of Mrs. Clara Nickell, as

administrator of the estate of Volney Nickell, one of the boys who was killed, to which court it had been taken by the defendant after a common plea court jury had awarded the plaintiff \$5,000.

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DON'T WAIT FOR ME, BRUNO—START RIGHTIN—I'M WAITING FOR A GLASS OF WATER—I ALWAYS DRINK BEFORE I EAT—

OH, NO! NO! THAT WOULDN'T DO—LADIES FIRST, Y KNOW—BESIDES, I WANT TO SEE HOW YOU LIKE THAT FILET DE LA KOOKOO

THEY DON'T KNOW HOW TO TACKLE THAT GRUB AND EACH OF EM IS WAITING FOR THE OTHER TO BEGIN—GETTING COLD—I'D TELL 'EM BUT I DON'T KNOW HOW TO EAT IT MYSELF—GREAT LIFE, EH?

COME ON, BEGIN! START! ATTACK! ASSIMILATE!

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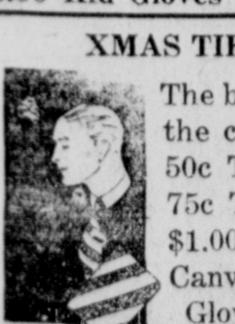
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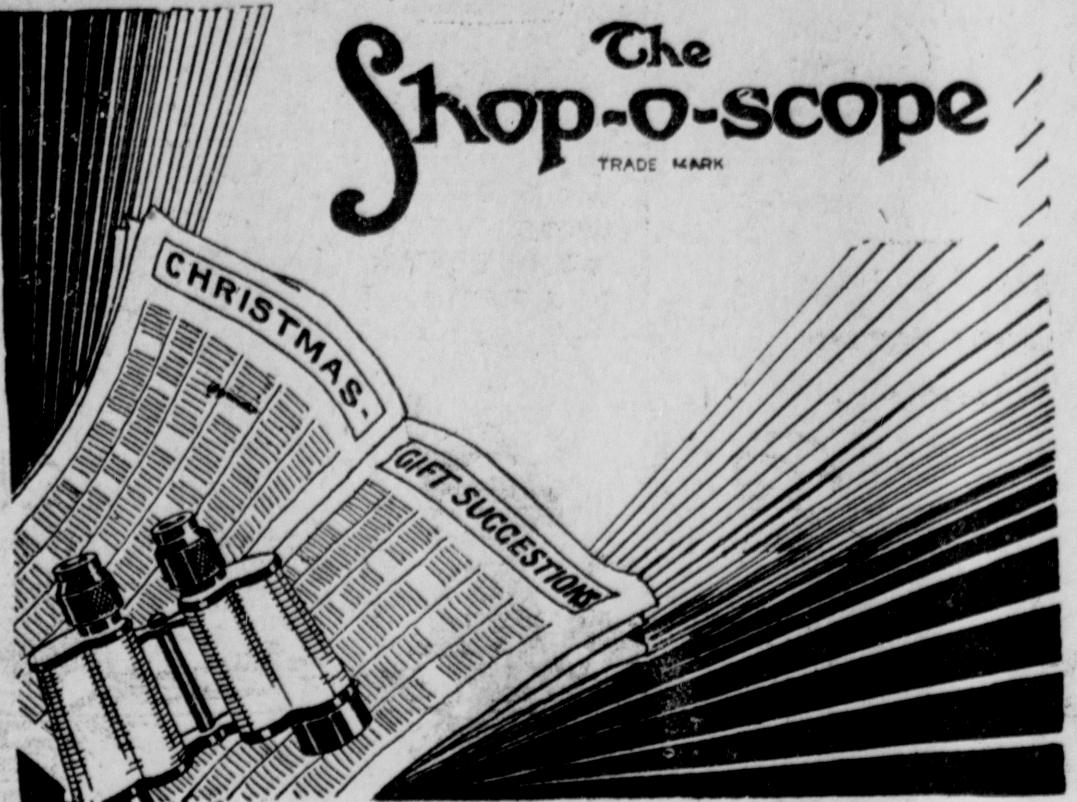
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